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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

Seymour doesn't admire Garfield, because he doesn't like to see anybody quit preaching for politics. It seems to us that the President quit preaching in order to practice, and has practiced very nearly up to the high standard which he has always preached.

Long Branch is a summer capital with politics left out. The only public questions discussed on piazza or on bluff are matters of Presidential etiquette. Should the ex-President call on the President or the President on the ex-President? As the final vote was taken at Chicago a year ago, there were 399 reasons for the former course and only 306 for the latter.

There can be no doubt about the popularity of the postal cards, in view of the fact that over three hundred millions of them have been sold within the present fiscal year. They are so cheap and convenient that people use them when they would not think of writing a letter. In the course of time we may expect to have telegraphic cards, to be sold at low figures, and to be receivable at any office upon which a message of a specified length may be transmitted. Who can doubt that such cards would have an extensive sale?

Some Republicans outside of Virginia don't seem to know a certain fact with which Virginia Republicans are very well acquainted, namely, that Mahone, in a speech before one of the first repudiation meetings held at Richmond, told his hearers that a part of the State debt should not be recognized because it was held by Yankee bondholders. Everybody who has taken the trouble to inform themselves about the facts, knows that the difference in Virginia is not about West Virginia's share of the debt. The real Bourbons are the Mahone people, we want to repudiate that.

An approximate estimate of the population of Great Britain is 35,000,000. The results of the census do not differ materially from the decennial computation made on the basis of the registration of births and deaths. That estimate was 34,505,043, exclusive of soldiers, sailors and seamen abroad, numbering at least 250,000. The rate of increase for the United Kingdom during the decade falls below the ratio for London. Those two vast hives of Asian population, India and China, not being taken into account, Great Britain ranks with respect to population as the sixth of the principal States of the world, the order being Russia, the United States, France, Germany, Austria-Hungary, the United Kingdon, Italy, the Ottoman Empire, and Spain.

Troy *Press*: Mr. Conkling sees now that he cannot be re-elected to the Senate with Mr. Platt as a colleague; he could hardly compass his election, if he should so desire, with an Administration man as an associate. He is practically out of the field—in a minority of three to one among the Republican members of the Legislature, and in a greater minority among the people—and yet he is reported to have declared at the stalwart conference last evening that the idea of compromise would never be entertained by him. The fight with him is now a personal one. He must be sent back, and Mr. Platt with him. Such a position means only one thing—war upon the Republican party. In such a war Mr. Conkling must fail. The principles of the Republican party are dearer to the people than the spoils of office, and the party itself is greater than any one man or half a dozen men.

The Golden Apples.

Mr. Blaine has been so long in public life, and has occupied so large space in the field of view, that he has not now to learn that he cannot expect to speak and escape criticism. Naturally enough he has been charged with antagonizing Senator Conkling. He is arraigned for various things which have happened since the new Administration came in. If anything has gone contrary to the wishes of anybody, the disappointed individual has cried out —"Blaine did it." Every man who has taken his axe to Washington to be ground, and has failed to get it ground, has laid the responsibility of failure upon Mr. Blaine. Successful applicants for favors attribute their success to their own uncommon deserving.

All this was to have been expected. Mr. Blaine himself must have taken his portfolio with the understanding that exactly what has happened would happen. He has maintained a profound silence under the storm of hostile and semi-hostile criticism until lately. But somebody has been good enough to attribute to him some remarks touching his agency in certain happenings. He may have denied that he controls the policy of the Administration. He may have said that the patronage of the Treasury Department was not dispensed by the Secretary of State. He may have hinted that each Secretary minds his own business, and in doing that finds his time so much occupied that he cannot, if he would, manage all the other departments. Mr Blaine may have dropped remarks to this effect. If so, he has only said what intelligent persons knew before. If he has spoken as reported, he has only spoken the truth, but it is truth-telling to no avail.

For no sooner does Mr. Blaine repel the charges preferred against him, than they who have bandied the charges inquire, "if he has not done these things, why did he not do them?" Exactly so. If he did these things he is to be blamed, and if he did not do them he is to be blamed. It is very amusing. Mr. Blaine knows, none better, that the quidnuncs are bound to have their little go any how. It is their business. It is their business to create situations and put public men in them, and having done that, they set about analizing their motives. At last, having banged a public man up hill and down dale for doing what he did not do, the quidnunc comes up smiling and confident, and wants to know why he did not do, all and singular the things charged. A high public position is a cul de sac and its occupant is bound to be put in a corner anybow. There is no escape from the man whose business it is to interpret motives. But there is one thing such a man always respects in spite of himself, and that is good-natured silence. Nothing can be made out of the man who will not talk, or who refuses to talk about his own affairs to the stranger and the indifferent. Even a vicious dog respects the person who coolly takes a seat and listens to the barking.

The emptyings of the "bribery investigation" are watery enough. The committee's counsel got far enough into Mr. Tillinghast's private affairs to find out that he recently had a draft for $20,000 cashed in Albany, and that the currency was finally deposited in a Buffalo bank instead of being used, as had been intended, in a real estate transaction. The testimony was given in a straightforward, business-like way, and the attempt to connect his financial operations with the Senatorial contest was a flat failure. Mr. Ingersoll's statement had a more direct bearing on the case. He testified that Mr. Bradley had told him on June 8 that he understood perfectly how his constituents felt, and that he had got through voting for Conkling and Platt. This conversation was repeated to Mr. Sessions before the meeting at which Mr. Bradley affirms the money was paid. We are not only asked to believe that so experienced an operator as Mr. Sessions paid $20,000 for a vote before actually cast, but that he purchased that vote a few hours after he was told that Bradley had made up his mind of his own accord to go over to Mr. Depew. Mr. Davenport's testimony reduces the negotiations with Mr. Strahan respecting the Marshalship to a private consultation for which the President was in no wise responsible. Mr. Knox had been offered the appointment which he subsequently received, but had not at that time fully decided to accept it, and in the interval Mr. Davenport took the precaution of looking about for a substitute. The only offence against the President is his ignorance respecting Mr. Strahan. He had to ask who he was. Mr. Strahan makes a noticeable figure at Albany, but he has not succeeded in establishing a national reputation.

General Brady's lawyer has planned an ingenious bit of by-play in the Star Route cases. This is a motion in the Criminal Court for instructions from the bench to the effect that the Grand Jury shall not wait till September, as the interests of the Government and the whole truth demand, but investigate the charges at once, for the sake of one man's reputation. This motion is suddenly sprung upon the Court with plaintive references to "press vilification" and the "torrents of abuse" heaped upon the ex-Second Assistant Postmaster-General. The special counsel for the Government seem to have poured a bucket of very cold water upon all these fireworks. His reply shows that the Administration are not only in dead earnest in breaking up a corrupt ring and punishing the thieves, but are also painstaking and thorough in the preliminary stages of the investigation. General Brady will doubtless hear from the Courts soon enough.

This country is menaced with another visit from Mr. Parnell. The rumor is revived that he intends to leave Mr. McCarthy in charge of the Irish Stalwarts, and to retire for a season to the American base of supplies. When he came before it was on an errand of mercy. The unhappiest of islands was passing through dark waters, and the hearts of Americans went out to her in her hour of distress. Yet at the moment when the generous impulses of our native-born population were stirred he contrived to estrange public sympathy by the violence and indecency of his harangues. If he returns it will not be for charity's sake, but to put money in the League purse. He may meet with noisy demonstrations from the Land League organizations on this side, but the mass of our people have found him out.

The North *American* thinks it about time something was done at Albany. It says:

It is high time that the Republicans at Albany should agree upon a programme. The situation is becoming exceedingly monotonous, and until the supporters of the Administration define their policy and concentrate their efforts, they must expect to be held in some measure accountable for the continuance of the blockade. They must make up their minds whom they will support, and having selected their candidates, must stick to them with the same tenacity and singleness of purpose as their opponents are exhibiting. It would be even better for them to take up a "st lwart" than to go on much longas at present.

There are the days of revision, and a German editor, of Pottsville, arrested by a brother Teuton journalist of Reading on a charge of libel, claims that German scholars who can correctly translate the article complained of will not give it any construction as the complainant puts upon it. In effect he pleads a revised edition of his newspaper. There is nothing like being in fashion.

The Deadlock at Albany.

The Albany correspondent of the New York *Tribune* writes as follows to that paper under date of 25th inst

Two theories prevail among the friends of the administration respecting the future course of the men who are voting for Conkling and Platt. One is that these men being at last convinced that there is no possibility of Mr. Conkling's re-election by this Legislature are now fighting only for an adjournment with the intention of asking terms of peace whenever they find that an adjournment is not in their power. It is a noticeable fact that many of the Conkling members of the Legislature no longer think it worth while to keep up the pretence of believing that Mr. Conkling can be elected, but frankly admit the contrary in private talk. Some of these men already throw out hints of compromise tickets, but it is not apparent that their utterances have any significance or authority. Supposing that the Conkling men are prepared to withdraw when it is evident that he cannot force an adjournment, it is expected that some plan like that of the Pennsylvania compromise will be adopted. When the efforts toward adjournment have exhausted themselves the Executive Committee of one of the factions will propose to the other, that each side agree upon say three or five names to be voted for in Joint Convention. This point once reached with the names of Conkling and Platt out of way there would be a speedy election of one Stalwart and one pronounced Administration man.

The other theory is held by a number of thoughtful men in the Administration ranks. They point to the fact that a concentration of all the anti-Conkling votes would not elect, though it would come near to doing so, and dwell on the obvious truth that an election can be had only by the final cooperation of a number of the Conkling men, and they do not despair of such cooperation. Their argument is that the 33 Conkling men have already sacrificed their hold upon their constituents in each case at the demand of some "boss," local or otherwise. They have destroyed probably in almost every instance all their hopes of reelection. They could not redeem them now by abandoning Conkling and Platt, after having defied public sentiment for a month of balloting. So far as the future is concerned, they have nothing to gain in the way of immediate political preferment by cutting loose from the "bosses" to whom they have adhered until now. They would only go to the ground between the "bosses" and the people, and will therefore stay where they are. An examination of the list of the men who are voting for Mr. Conkling shows how much truth there is in the statement that they are acting in accordance with orders from "bosses," and not on any pretence of obeying the popular will. In almost every case the "boss" is as well known as the member, and the connection between the "boss" and the member is notorious.

What the Ohio Vote will Show.

Ohio will show a large increased Republican vote this year, by reason of Democrats renouncing their connection with their old party. This change is being brought about by the influence of trade on politics. The people of Ohio are doing more manufacturing now than ever they did, investing capital in enterprises dependent on wise legislation for success. In no state of Democratic control of either the legislative or executive branch of the Government did that party ever devote itself to the interests of labor or capital, except as these were involved in the institution of slavery. Twenty-five years ago, a bill introduced in Congress looking to legislation in reference to production, consumption, manufacturing, agriculture or finance had first to be subjected to the scrutiny of the slave master in both houses thereof, before it could be taken out of a committee. The institution of slavery involved the Democratic party, so that the force of that organization, its judgment and impulse to action, were all under the control of the slave power. Every student of the political history of this country knows that such is the record. It was this influence which made nine-tenths of all manufacturers, merchants and bankers opposed to the Democratic party. The interests in which they are concerned demanded this, so that now, just as soon as a State becomes largely identified with manufacturing, mining and merchandising, and is prosperous in these pursuits, accumulating large capital therein, its people begin to renounce their connection with the Democratic party. This is now being done in Ohio, more at this time than any other period, for the reason that they are now so extensively engaged in business which needs wise legislation. The Democratic party, for reasons best known to its leaders, is incapable of rendering this service, but the people understand the course thus pursued, and will increase in this understanding as they grow in business importance. A party that was originally organized to uphold the institution of slavery contains none of the elements essential to service in public affairs involving conditions such as have grown out of the institutions of the free States. This has long been seen at the North. It is now producing an exodus from the Democratic to the Republican party in Ohio of business men engaged in the industries, who appreciate the value of a government fairly administered in their interest.

The direct mail service between the United States and Brazil, which was recently discontinued by the withdrawal of the American line of steamers running from New York to Rio, is to be restored next month but it is a British line which will perform the service. This does not look like a step toward a verification of the prediction Postmaster General James made in his Long Branch dinner speech. "Not more than three years will roll around," he said, "before American mails will go in American ships." We shall have to wait, no doubt, for the legislation of a Republican Congress for tangible signs of the revival of our ocean trade so confidently expected by Mr. James. The progress of recent years has all been backward. We have fewer steamers engaged in foreign traffic than we had ten years ago.

There seems to be something rotten in North Carolina when a Government contract calling for $15,000 is stopped by a United States Marshal because the work could be done for $150. Is there any such thing as "expediting" known in the wall-painting business? And if so what Washington official is responsible for it?

The Bounding Banning is the man for the Democrats to run for Governor of Ohio this year. It is a first class opportunity for them to kill him off and be rid of him.

He Only had Ten Cents.

They were walking on the avenue the other evening when it was very warm, arrayed in their summer clothes. In the distance shone the light of an ice cream saloon, merry inside with the jingle of spoons and dishes.

"Oh! Augustus, it is so warm."

"So it is, pet."

"Don't you think, dear, that we could find a cooler place than on the street?"

"Perhaps we'd better go in the park and get a drink of water."

"I'd scream first."

"Why would you scream, love?"

"Oh! because—because, oh! look, Gus, there's an ice cream saloon."

"I read, Angelique, darling, in the paper to-day, that ice cream contained the germs of small-pox. That's the reason I didn't ask you to have some. Let's go and get some soda water."

When Angelique got home she slammed her false hair on the table and screamed to ma that she'd "never go out with that stingy, old bald-headed heathen again.—*Detroit Chaff.*

Late Pennsylvania News.

Women counterfeiters drive a big trade in Philadelphia.

Lewistown and McVeytown are each to have a marriage insurance company.

Hiram Rosekranz, of Hazleton, committed suicide on Monday by taking poison.

The surveyors are staking out the route of a new railroad from Stroudsburg to Tamaqua.

Wilcox, Forest county, promises to become a lively oil town in the course of a few months.

An ex-register of wills of Chester county, George H. Patton, is in prison for defalcation.

Hay is now selling at the low price of eight dollars a ton in Washington and Beaver counties.

Mrs Henry Berger, of Maple Hill, Lycoming county, broke her neck recently by an accident.

A Justice of the Peace named Shally, in Snyder county, beat his horse to death the other day.

Two hundred and forty hands are employed in the Reading Cotton Mill and 340 looms are in operation.

Considerable wool is being disposed of in Washington and Greece counties at about thirty-five cents.

Postmaster Huidekoper says, the Philadelphia postoffice handles about a million pieces of mail matter a day.

John Ellis, of Coventry, Chester county, has the graves of fifteen heroes of the revolutionary war on his place.

John Wanamaker has engaged Prof. King to make a balloon ascension in Philadelphia on the Fourth of July.

Mrs. Maria Philips, residing near Titusville, was so badly gored by a cow that slight hope is entertained of her recovery.

Two daughters of Robert Gillen, of Cambria county, were drowned by the high water in Blacklick creek, the other day.

The Cumberland Valley Sunday School Association will have its annual meeting at Oakville, beginning July 13th and continuing for one week.

Last year 517 locomotives were shipped by the Baldwin locomotive works, of Philadelphia. It is expected that the output this year will reach 600.

W. E. Murray, of West Alexander, Washington county, found twelve silver dollars while plowing in a cornfield, a few days ago, bearing date from 1775 to 1797.

John Archer, an oil well driller, was instantly killed on the Olean, Bradford and Warren road Tuesday night, near Knapp's Creek. His home is in Centre county.

Mr. and Mrs. Keister, of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., celebrated their golden wedding recently They are the oldest citizens of the town, and have occupied the same house since 1831.

The coming event in society circles of Meadville, is the marriage of Hon. H. I. Richmond, Jr., one of the most prominent attorneys of the Crawford bar, to Miss Virginia Vance.

The department of the Grand Army of the Republic of this State will go into camp under canvas upon the battlefield of Gettysburg, for one week, commencing on Saturday, July 23d.

Charles K. Taylor, a member of the Schuylkill county bar, convicted at Pottsville several weeks ago of embezzling county bonds, has been sentenced to two years in the county prison and to make full restitution.

John G. Pyle track foreman of the Pennsylvania Railroad near Mountville, on Sunday afternoon discovered three boys in the act of placing an obstruction on the north track for the purpose of wrecking a freight train then due. The young scoundrels escaped arrest.

There are 1,800 building associations in Pennsylvania, with an aggregate capital of $150,000,000. The State imposed a tax of four mills each $100, and the collection was resisted, but the Supreme Court has sustained the tax, which ammounts to $500,000 a year.

A Romantic Story.

Loring, the Boston bookseller, told a very romantic story, as follows:

"At one time I had prepared boxes of fancy paper with a fancy initial or pet name embossed in it, and I put this up at $1 a box and advertised it. One day I had an order from California from a Miss Susie—. The box was done up, addressed to her and lay about here, when a young Englishman came in and wanted to write a letter. I gave him the material and a place, when his eyes caught the address on the box.'

"Have you the order that came for that box of paper?" he asked.

"Yes," I replied, "'tis about somewhere."

"Would you mind sending it up to my hotel? If it is what I think, I shall start for California to-night."

"I found it and sent it around and heard no more about it for perhaps three months, when one day the young man, with a lady on his arm, walked in. "Mr. Loring I want to present you to my wife," he said. "We could not leave this country till we had thanked you for your part in bringing us together.' The denouement was quite a romance. The young man was the son of an aristocratic family and the girl the daughter of the gardener. But love levels all distinctions, and the young man felt this girl to be the chosen companion of his life. To break off the attachment his father had sent him to the Continent and dispatched the gardener and his pretty daughter to America, where the young man had followed them, ignorant of their address, and at last finding it through the chance of the box of paper."

Poetry.

Hannah.

An itinerant preacher thus describes the rough trip he had in preaching to the boys:

I talked of sin, and they listened in awe
As I told of its cause and governing law
In most effective manner;
And one from out the gathered throng
Cried out in pathos deep and strong,
"That's what's the matter with Hannah!"

I looked around for the troubled dame,
And called her by her given name,
(For I did not know the other;)
And said with a sigh which the crowd could hear,
"Woman called Hannah, if thou art near,
Approach thy christian brother."

My hearers laughed at my earnest cry;
And "Put a shanty over his eye!"
Cried some one in mocking fashion;
But I paid no heed to the scoffing few—
"Hannah, my sister, I call for you,
In love—not wrath or passion.

"Come, then, to the altar, oh child of woe!"
Then spake another, 'not any for Joe;"
I wondered at him slightly,
And said, "Oh Joseph, the flesh is weak;
It makes me tremble to hear you speak
Of holy things so lightly."

Then up from the heathen came a cry
Of "Bully, old fellow;" "How's that for high!"
It fairly made me shiver;
And I trembled in heart as well as in limb,
As they fiendishly screamed, "Put a head on him, Jim,
And pitch him into the river."

But I stood my ground, and commenced to tell
Of terrible fires in a terrible hell
That would burn them up forever
If they lived for the world; said a man of pelf,
"Oh, golly, you know how it is himself."
To this I answered, "Never;"

And started home, as they would not yield,
And I had neither sword or shield
That might defend my banner;
And to-day I sigh for the slough of sin
Which one poor woman is walking in,
Whose given name is Hannah.

Our Story Teller.

Invited to Breakfast.

"Walk out to my house and have breakfast with me some morning." Such was the invitation given me one day by Mr. Robertson, a genial middle-aged solicitor to whom I was articled in the thriving town of Abbeyton.

Now, I had only been articled for a few weeks, and what I had seen of Mr. Robertson in business made me wish to know him and his in private life; hence I was much delighted to have this opportunity of gratifying my wish. A few days afterward, waking up and finding a glorious summer sun streaming into my room, I speedily decided that this was just the kind of morning on which I should accept the invitation to breakfast at Abbey Grove, and in a few minutes I was on my way thither.

Abbey Grove was situated about two miles from the town, and consisted of a small cluster of villas, built in a prettily situated spot which generations ago had formed part of the grounds of an old abbey. The only remains of this ancient building, however, were a few yards of crumbling wall, with here and there vestiges of what at one time had been traceried windows; these with numerous mounds of stone and masonry, were all that was now left to tell of what had been there centuries ago. Most of these mounds were now covered with grass and shrubs and trees, and thus formed a delightful secluded retreat, which the inhabitants of the Abbey Grove villas enjoyed in common.

The invigorating charms of an early walk on a summer's morning need no description. The pure air the genial sun, the twittering birds, the sparkling dew, and soft low breeze, all tend to exhilarate one's spirits, and to make the day pleasanter and happier throughout. All these experiences were mine on the day I write of. As I approached Abbey Grove and saw the houses peeping from out the surrounding trees I commenced wondering as to what kind of a residence would be occupied by Mr. Robertson, how it would be furnished, what kind of people his wife and family would be like, and the kindred things that you speculate upon when going to visit a house for the first time. Last but by no means least, as my walk continued I wondered what kind of a breakfast there would be to appease the appetite stimulated by the morning breeze.

I walked down a short avenue leading to the houses, and then began to wonder which of the half-dozen villas I was bound for. This small community dispensed with numbers to their houses, nor did they even distinguish them by the ambitious aud ridiculous names which you see stuck up on most suburban residences. No; nothing savoring so of the town for this group of country residences—they all called their several houses by the common name of Abbey Grove and a stranger had to take his chances of having to go to each of them in turn before he found the particular one he sought. Fortune favored me, by sending across my path a traveling directory in the shape of a milkman, and in response to my inquiry as to which house was Mr. Robertson's I received the straightforward reply, "this 'ere one as I've just come from, sir."

Walking up a path, I found the door invitingly open and the housemaid putting the finishing touches on the bell handle.

"Master is not down yet, sir," she replied to my inquiry as to whether he was at home, which considering the time of day, really appeared an absurd question to ask the girl; but we get accustomed to use stereotype phrases under some circumstances.

"Oh, then, I will come in and wait," I replied.

"What name shall I say, sir," asked the girl.

"Just tell him Mr. Brookes has called, and he will understand."

So saying the girl showed me into a snug little breakfast room, where the sunbeams and the fresh morning air seemed to be vying with each other as to which should hold possession of the room; with such friendly rivalry were they streaming through two open French window, which opened upon a tastefully arranged lawn and flower-beds outside. While noticing these things, the housemaid had gone up stairs to announce me; when something like the following dialogue ensued, "Please, ma'am, Mr. Brookes is down stairs."

"Mr. Brookes! Who is he?" was the response in a muffled female voice.

"I don't know ma'am," the maid replied. "I never seen him before. But he's a young gentleman, and says he'll wait till master comes down."

"Whoever can he be, and what can he want, bothering here, at this time of day?" continued the muffled voice; and thereupon the door was shut.

Now, this was not exactly pleasant to me, but when I reflected that most probably Mrs. Robertson would be unacquainted with her husband's invitationto me I thought it best not to be offended; so I commenced examining the pictures on the walls. They were not very interesting, and I soon concluded my inspection, and looked around for something else to occupy the moments, which began to hang rather heavily. The newspaper of the previous day was upon a small table by the window, so I took that up just to pass away the time, and I was soon listlessly perusing the advertisements. I had not been sitting thus above a minute or two when I heard a slight rustling as of a lady's dress; simultaneously came three or four light footsteps through the window into the room, and before I could look up from my paper or rise from my seat, a musical voice accosted me with "Good-morning, uncle; here is your button hole bouquet."

I started up in no little surprise at this greeting, which was evidently not intended for me; and there stood before me a fairy-like maiden of some sixteen summers, her hair falling loosely from a daintily shaped head her cheeks aglow with the healthy morning air she had been enjoying and deepened, too by a rosy blush, when she discovered her greeting had unwittingly been addressed a stranger. She was standing before me holding the knot of flowers destined for her uncle's button hole—how I envied her uncle!—a very picture of health and life and happiness and beauty. Her expression of unrestrained enjoyment had changed in a moment to one of embarrassment and dismay, mingled with a gleam of amusement in her bright eyes as the humor of the awkward situation we were in broke upon her. An instantaneous mutual agreement seemed to flash between us. We both broke into a merry little laugh and I often wondered what would have happened if we had not adopted this course; if for instance the young lady had passed with dignified coldness, and simple apologies and bows had passed between us! Our sudden introduction was, however, not destined to have this sudden ending. In a few moments we were chatting away like old friends I fancied my fairy seemed to be actually pleased when I announced that I was going to stay for breakfast; and I had almost summoned up courage to ask her to present me in reality with the flowers she had undesignedly offered to me, when the entrance of the servant with the completing dishes for the breakfast table served as an excuse for her to leave the room.

She had scarcely gone through the door when I heard again the greeting. "Good-morning,uncle,"followed this time by an unmistakable sound, which made me long more than ever to be that girl's uncle! The door opened once more,I stepped forward to meet my employer, but suddenly paused, as a tall gentleman entered the room whom I had never seen before in my life.

He stood looking inquiringly at me after a sharp "Good-morning." I was too embarrassed to make any response. My first thought was, "He is some visitor," but in a few moments the awful truth dawned across my mind that this was in reality the owner of the house I was in, and by some means or other I had got into the wrong one. The situation was tremendous. I am naturally a cool character, but I was so taken by surprise and chagrin, that I could only utter some confused apology about having been invited to breakfast by Mr. Robertson; that I had been directed to this house by some miserable misunderstanding; that I humbly apologized for my intrusion, and hoped he would pardon it. So speaking I made a frantic dash at my hat, maddened at my stupidity,at the loss of my breakfast, and still more at the thought of never seeing or speaking again to that charming little lady,who in less than five minutes I found I was absurdly in love with!

I said a hurried "good-morning," and was trying to make a ghastly attempt to smile as I left the room—when, would you believe it? That tall dark man burst out into a loud laugh. I felt ready to knock him down. I knew how my stupidity would be gayly discussed at the breakfast table, before her, and I felt my discomfiture and humiliation deeply; but this open merriment at my expense maddened me.

A strange calm succeeded this storm. It was caused by some words uttered by my tormentor. "You really must forgive me, I could not refrain from laughing. My name is Robinson. Your friend Mr. Robertson lives in one of the other houses. We frequently get parcels and letters, and even callers come to the wrong house; but in all experience we have never had so amusing a mistake so early in the day as this one."

Now this explanation toned down my anger considerably; but the words which followed were like balm to my troubled heart. "Mr. Robertson will have finished breakfast by now. I cannot think of allowing you to go. Do me the favor of remaining here and breakfasting with us." So saying, he took my hat out of my hand and led me into the room again. Of course it did not need much persuasion to make me stop. Two minutes before I had been ready to knock this man over. I now thought him the kindest and most considerate fellow in the world.

Of course the breakfast was delightful. I found Mr. Robinson and his wife sensible, genial, kind hearted people. I found their niece even more sensible, more genial, and kind hearted than they were; and when,after breakfast, I accompanied her and Mr. Robinson into their pretty flower garden,I received rom her a rosebud for my button-hole, which I kept for some years afterward. When saying good bye I was perplexed by thinking how I should manage to see her again; it must be contrived somehow, I mentally resolved. Upon returning to town I lost no time in explaining "the situation" to my employer, Mr. Robertson, who rallied me good-naturedly upon the mistake, and upon what the consequences might be. Next week I was invited to a picnic at Mr. Robinson's and went not only to it but likewise to Mr. Robinson's house again and again before his niece returned to her home.

Four years have passed since that invitation to breakfast was given me, and that "fairy-like girl" is now my wife. The local milkman, bless him, got a handsome "tip" upon our wedding day.

Humorous.

Very practical: "Do you intend going to a summer resort this summer?" inquired Miss Fitzjoy of her practical friend. "Oh, yes indeed. If there is any place where summer resorts this year we are going surely."

The other way: "Do you sell Bibles and Testaments here?" inquired an elderly lady of the gentlemanly clerk in a bookstore. "Yes, ma'am. We have a fine variety. About what style would you like?" "I don't want any of the old ones. I want a reversed Testament." Evidently she thought the whole business had gone backward.

Terrible: This is terrible! A youth of seventeen has lost his sight, all his hair has come out, his voice is failing one arm has become paralyzed, his girl has jilted him, his hearing has gone, and both of his legs have dropped off at the knees—all through the habitual smoking of cigarettes. A terrible lie, we mean, but it is not half as sad as some of the cases reported in our exchanges. Truth is stranger than fiction every time.

"I believe this mind-reading business is all nonsense," said Brown. "It's all humbug, I tell you," he continued. "I should like to see anybody read my mind. There isn't a man living who can read it." The question took its three readings, and the house passed a resolution that Brown was correct, with not a dissenting vote. The unbiased sentiment of all present was that the man was not yet born who could read Brown's mind and never would be.

A Powerful Charity Sermon.

No public speaker ever excelled Mr. Spurgeon in profuseness of anecdotal illustration in "discourses." His sermons and addresses teem with anecdotes,which are usually very much to the point. To his students last year he told a good story to show the need of preachers being attractive. "When I was in Arran quite recently," said he, "I heard a minister who preached in a certain church, and at the close of the service was strongly urged by the ruling elder to promise a future supply of similar discourses, the collection after his sermon having been unusually large. 'Dear me,' said the minister with becoming pride, 'what might your ordinary collection amount to?' 'Last Sunday it was twopence-half-penny!' 'What is it to-day, then?' asked the minister expecting to hear a large sum named. 'Eightpence-half-penny, was the reply. 'Woe is me,' moaned the minister within himself, 'for I gave the sixpence myself.'"

Local Small Talk.

—Miss Kate Jackson is home for vacation from Vassar.

—A large number of strangers are visiting in town just now.

—It is said cigaretes produce ulcers and cancers in the mouth.

—Penn Cave seems to be the favorite resort for excursionists hereabouts just now.

—Mrs. William Adams, of Shellburn Fall, Mass., is sojourning in our Mountain City, the guest of Mrs. E. T. Tuten.

—Two handsome trout, each about eighteen inches long, attract the admiration of everyone who visits the big spring.

—Farmers have begun harvesting their clover crop in some parts of the county. The growth is reported unusually heavy in some sections.

—The Pennsylvania editorial excursionists could not have had better weather for their trip to Long Branch. Editors seldom enjoy such luck.

—Messrs. Brockerhoff and McKeever have placed a handsome and substantial safe in their office at the Brockerhoff House, in which to store their millions.

—A number of men in Bellefonte do not hesitate to hitch their horses to a shade tree when there is no post convenient. This comes under the head of "mean acts."

—The Logan Hose Company has declined the invitation to visit Huntingdon on the Fourth. They will remain at home and picnic with their brother firemen, the Undines.

—An ice cream dealer in an adjoining town advertises seven flavors of cream. That's business. Two assortments generally comprise the stock on hand with Bellefonte creamers.

—Wild strawberries are reported unusually plenty in the vicinity of Snow Shoe this season. Several baskets of the delicious fruit have been gathered this week by Bellefonte parties.

—The pool table recently erected at the Bush House is extensively patronized by the lovers of the game. The click of the ivories resounds from the room at all hours of the day and evening.

-Tobacco raisers in Dauphin county complain bitterly of the cut worm, according to the *Telegraph*. It would no doubt be better for the generation now growing up if the worms would do *all* the chewing.

—How is that tub-race for the Fourth coming on? It won't do to lose sight of it, especially when there is a prospect that such experts as Dick Harris and John Anderson will take part in the contest.

--A new balcony adorns the residence of Mr. Charles Heisler, on High street. Charlie evidently intends spending part of his evenings with his heels elevated and head thrown back. Nothing like it on a breezy eve.

—Gregg Post, G. A. R., expects to turn out sixty members to visit Gettysburg next month. Besides members of the Post, quite a large number of our citizens will embrace this opportunity of visiting the famous battle-ground.

- The first mortgage bonds held against the Bald Eagle valley railroad, maturing on the 1st of July next, will be paid at the office of the company, 233 South 4th street, Philadelphia. After that date interest on them will cease.

—The belle of Milesburg, who lost her "bangs" in Bellefonte on Decoration Day, has sufficiently recovered from the shock to be able to resume flirting operations. We understand she intends beginning in Bellefonte, where she left off.

—Our readers will find a full account, in our telegraphic columns, of the terrible railroad accident on the West Penn road, near Freeport, on Tuesday, by which Major Snowden, a brother of Miss Maggie Snowden, of this place, was killed.

—Altoona newspaper men are having a high old time quarreling and calling one another liars, thieves, etc. Yesterday's issue of the *Sun* speaks of one of them as being a "constitutionally lewd beast." Fie, boys; don't you know the neighbors hear you!

—That breezy mountain town, Snow Shoe, does not appear on the excursion routes of the Pennsylvania railroad, notwithstanding the company purchased the Snow Shoe road early in the spring. It seems to us that being thus ignored would make our Snow Shoe friends hopping mad. In a few years, though, she will no doubt occupy a prominent position among Pennsylvania's inland resorts.

—If those two men who suddenly poked their heads into our sanctum the other day, and as suddenly withdrew them and beat a precipitate retreat when we looked up from our work, will drop in again some afternoon we think we can convince them that editors are not such dangerous beings as they evidently imagine. An editor never chews a man up unless there is great provocation.

—Gen. Grant presided at the editors' dinner at Long Branch Thursday, and afterwards the knights of the quill were given a reception by the President. There's no use talking, the great men of this country are bound to flock together.

—According to advices received the hay, wheat and potato crops in this region promises well; corn is not looking so flourishing, and the apple yield will not be large. The peach yield will be almost a total failure in the county, the blossoms having been seriously injured by the spring frosts.

—The Duke of Sutherland visited Altoona on Tuesday, and was taken on a tour of inspection through the railroad shops at that place, by Superintendent Pugh. The Duke is a very ordinary looking man, and that's what disappointed the Altoonaites. They expected to see in a representative of English nobility something a little out of the general run.

—The Pennsylvania Reserves will not meet in Bellefonte this summer, so we are informed by a member of Gregg Post. The officers of the association state that the meetings are so expensive that the organization cannot stand a reunion oftener than every other year. Bellefonte, however, will be the place of the next meeting, and either June or September of '82 will likely be the time.

—The lower end of the board walk before the vacant lot on corner of Allegheny and Linn streets is badly in need of repairing. Sometimes the boards are in their places, but are oftener standing on end, and pedestrians, especially in the night time, are extremely liable to be tripped up and thrown down the embankment at that place. An hour's labor would place the walk in a safe condition.

—The Undine picnic on the Fourth gives every promise of being a grand success. The several committees are laboring faithfully and harmoniously, and if the weather only proves fair our people may expect something grand on this occasion. A large dancing floor will be erected, and lemonade and lunch stands scattered all over the grounds. Altogether Bellefonte won't be such a bad place after all in which to spend the Fourth.

—General Beaver attended the college commencement exercises at Washington, Pa., on Tuesday. Company H., of Tenth regiment, N. G., gave a dress parade in the evening in honor of his presence in town. The correspondent at that place of the Pittsburgh *Commercial*, in alluding to the General, says: "It was a strange sight to see walking our streets this morning, arm in arm, General James A. Beaver, of the Union army, with one leg off, and Rev. G. W. Keady, who was an officer in the rebel army, and who has only one arm."

The Latest Speculative Trick.

The Reading *Times* says the ways of some speculative insurance men are dark, and those of others are darker, but of all the devices practiced to obtain insurance the following is perhaps the most original: A resident of the western end of that county lay dying. The friends of the departing saw an opportunity to make money. They got a doctor on short notice. The doctor was to feel the patient's pulse, and if that was reasonably strong there would be no difficulty about signing the application. Before the doctor entered the sick room a friend of the prospective corpse crawled under the bed, and when the doctor said, "Give me your hand until I feel your pulse," the fellow under the bed reached forth his hand, the medical gentleman gravely placed his middle finger on the wrist and taking out his watch calmly counted the beats for perhaps about a minute, and then affirmed that such a pulse could stand any amount of insurance. The patient was passed. The application for a policy was signed. The owner of the pulse crawled from underneath the bed. The patient turned up his toes in the prescribed manner, and the policy holders are waiting for the returns. Such is life among the speculative insurance people.

Duty of Court Stenographers.

A law was passed by the late Legislature, and since approved by the Governor, defining the duties of court stenographers in the several counties of this State. It provides that they shall on the trial of all civil cases take down as part of their report of the judge's charge, every ruling, order and remark of the judge relating to the case upon trial made in the presence of the jury in any stage of the proceedings to which either party may except in the same manner and with the same effect as is now practiced in relation to the judge's charge.

What Prevented an Elopement.

Quite an amusing incident, illustrative of human nature, occurred not many miles from Bellefonte a few days since—the sudden wind-up of a hastily-planned elopement. The usual mode of escape was adopted—a ladder placed against the window-sill, where the fair one awaited the arrival of her lover, with whom she expected to fly to parts unknown. When all was ready, and cautionary signals had been exchanged, she began the descent of the ladder, but when her foot had touched the bottom round it suddenly occurred to her that she had forgotten her purse, containing a small fortune in ready cash. Having often wondered whether it was her or her money that her lover cared for, she had sometimes desired to test the matter, and thought this a fitting opportunity. To retrace her steps to her room would probably result in their being caught. This view she submitted to the impatient youth below, but he refused to listen to her fears. "By all means," said he, "go back for the treasure." The cash was what he was bent on eloping with. When she had safely reached the floor of her room she leaned out of the window and softly whispered to her lover at the foot of the ladder that she feared he would not do all for her he had promised to make her life a pleasant dream, to which the wretch replied, "May be I will and may be I won't." Finding her stay to be rather prolonged, and being at a loss to understand the long silence, he ventured to raise his voice and request her to hasten, to which the reply came, in cool, cutting sarcasm, "May be I will and may be I won't." As the sound of her voice died away the light was extinguished and the shutters closed, leaving the mortified youth to go home with his ladder and meditate. Possibly he will write a book entitled, "How I put my foot in it."

Time Extended for Collection of Taxes.

Governor Hoyt has signed a bill extending the time for the collection of city, county, township and borough taxes for a period of one year. It provides that in all cases in which the period of two years, the limitation of the warrants in the duplicate of county, city, township, ward and borough tax collectors, have expired, and said collector or collectors have become liable for the amount of tax on said duplicates without having collected the same, the said duplicates and warrants in all such cases are hereby revived and extended for another period of one year from the passage of this act, and said collector or collectors are hereby authorized and empowered to proceed and collect said taxes from all persons who have not paid taxes assessed to them residing in said district within which it may have been assessed, as well as from all persons who have removed from said city, ward, township or townships or boroughs, and have neglected to pay taxes so as aforesaid assessed with like effect as if said warrants had not expired by the limitation of two years. The act does not apply to warrants issued prior to 1874, nor to cities of the first and second class.

Drunk and Robbed.

Benjamin Barr, a resident of Philipsburg, while in a state of intoxication at Altoona, the other day, was robbed of $65 in money, and was scooped in by the police and confined in the lock up over Sunday besides. We take the following from the *Sun* of that place: "He came from Lewistown, and was traveling in company with another man. Both got "boozy," and while in the cars Barr fell asleep. On awaking at Spruce Creek he found both his money—about $65—and his companion gone. Instead of getting off at Tyrone, he came on to this city, and with what change he had left, proceeded to imbibe more of the stuff that led to his being robbed,and, consequently, became very much intoxicated. He was scooped in by the police on Saturday, the day on which he arrived in this city, and imprisoned in the lock-up. He was discharged this morning, having nothing to pay fine or costs, and feeling, as he said, 'as if he had been beaten over the head with a club.'"

—Work is progressing rapidly on the brick dwelling house being built on Linn street by Dr. Hays. The foundation walls are completed, and the work of laying the brick has begun. This will be the first house erected on that side of the street, east of Allegheny, but now that building has commenced other residences will no doubt follow.

—Listen to this, from a journal published up in the coal regions: "Some of the Ebervale women were in town yesterday on a bust, and were swept out of a saloon with a broom." That item will grate harshly on feminine ears. Evidently there is a wide field for missionary work in Ebervale.

Professional Cards.

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Attorney-at-Law,
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Attorney-at-Law,
office on High Street second door from First National Bank. 8 42-tf

W. A. MORRISON,
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Bellefonte, Pa.

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Railroads.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table Nov. 8, 1880.

WESTWARD.	Exp. A.M.	Mail P.M.
Leave Lock Haven	5 25	4 25
Flemington	5 29	4 30
Mill Hall	5 34	4 33
Beech Creek	5 50	4 45
Eagleville	5 55	4 50
Howard	6 09	5 01
Mount Eagle	6 18	5 10
Curtin	6 25	5 15
Milesburg	6 36	5 25
Bellefonte	6 46	5 35
Milesburg	6 56	5 45
Snow Shoe Int	7 00	5 48
Unionville	7 09	5 57
Julian	7 18	6 08
Martha	7 27	6 17
Port Matilda	7 35	6 25
Hannah	7 42	6 33
Fowler	7 48	6 36
Bald Eagle	7 55	6 47
Vail	7 59	6 51
Arrive at Tyrone	8 10	7 02
EASTWARD.	P.M.	A.M.
Leave Tyrone	7 32	8 48
East Tyrone	7 39	8 55
Vail	7 42	8 58
Bald Eagle	7 47	9 02
Hannah	7 55	9 13
Port Matilda	8 00	9 19
Martha	8 07	9 25
Julian	8 15	9 32
Unionville	8 23	9 39
Snow Shoe Int	8 32	9 45
Milesburg	8 34	9 48
Bellefonte	10 05	8 47
Milesburg	8 54	10 08
Curtin	9 06	10 19
Mount Eagle	9 12	10 25
Howard	9 20	10 37
Eagleville	9 38	10 49
Beech Creek	9 40	10 54
Mill Hall	9 54	11 16
Flemington	9 57	11 20
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 01	11 2

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Nov. 7, 1880:

WESTWARD.

ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11 55 p
" "	Harrisburg	4 25 a
" "	Williamsport	8 40 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	9 09 a m
" "	Lock Haven	9 40 a m
" "	Renovo	11 05 a m
"	arr at Erie	7 45 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves	Philadelphia	9 00 a m
" "	Harrisburg	12 15 p m
"	arr. at Williamsport	3 15 p m
" "	Lock Haven	4 29 p m
" "	Renovo	5 40 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in	Bellefonte at	5 35 p m
FAST LINE leaves	Philadelphia	12 20 a m
" "	Harrisburg	4 00 p m
" "	Williamsport	7 55 p m
"	arr at Lock Haven	9 10 p m

EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXP. leaves	Lock Haven	7 05 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	7 37 a m
" "	Williamsport	8 20 a m
	arr at Harrisburg	12 05 p m
"	Philadelphia	3 45 p m
DAY EXP. leaves	Renovo	10 05 a m
" "	Lock Haven	11 25 a m
" "	Williamsport	12 25 p m
"	arr at Harrisburg	3 40 p m
" "	Philadelphia	6 35 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves	Renovo	9 00 p m
" "	Lock Haven	10 10 p m
" "	Williamsport	11 30 p m
"	arr at Harrisburg	3 00 a m
" "	Philadelphia	7 05 a m
FAST LINE leaves	Williamsport	12 15 a m
"	arr at Harrisburg	3 15 a m
" "	Philadelphia	7 05 a m

Niagara Express West and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R.R. trains.

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WM. A. BALDWIN, Gen'l Supt.

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after March 28, 1880.
Leaves Snow Shoe 5.36 a. m., arrives in Bellefonte 7.24 a. m.
Leaves Bellefonte 9.12 a. m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.25 a. m.
Leaves Snow Shoe 2.30 p. m., arrives in Bellefonte 4.30 p. m.
Leaves Bellefonte 5.45 p. m., arrives Snow Shoe 7.25 p. m.
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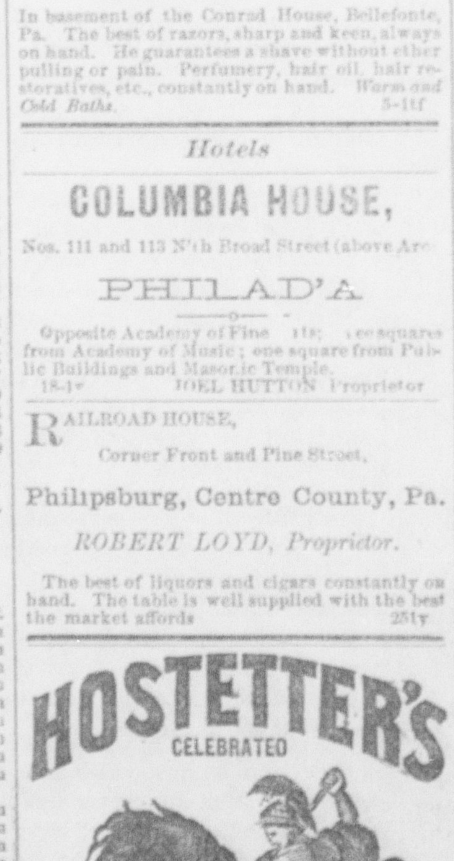

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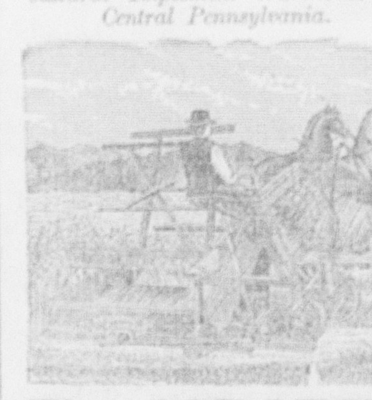

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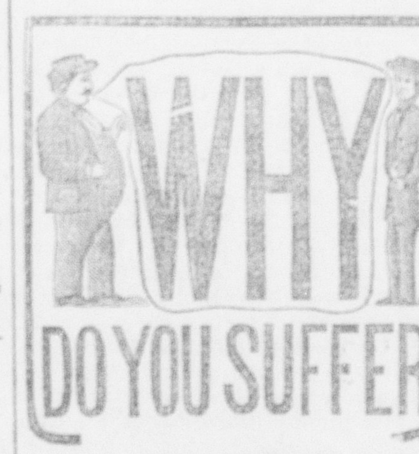

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JOHN RICE,
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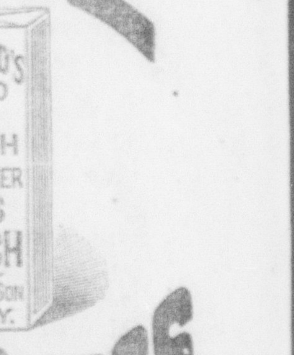

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THE LATEST NEWS.

The Patriotic Sons of America.

PORTLAND, Me., June 23.—The convention of the Patriotic Sons of America adjourned to day after mixing a bottle of the waters of the Pacific with a like quantity of the Atlantic and distributing the waters in small phials among the delegates. Any commandery member may now be a delegate to the national convention. The next national convention will be held in Trenton in 1883. M. Ellis of Indiana, was chosen Marshal.

Mrs. Arnold Still Survives.

CLEVELAND, June 24.—Mrs. Arnold whose skull was fractured yesterday by a locomotive, at the time President Garfield's uncle was killed, was still alive at latest accounts, but in a critical condition. Her brother, Dr. Boynton, is expected to-morrow from Long Branch. The funeral of Thomas Garfield will be held on Saturday afternoon. Word has been received that the President will not be here to attend.

Bride and Groom Drowned.

NEW YORK, June 24.—A Savannah dispatch announces the death at Rogers, in a mill-pond, of John Middleton and bride. They were crossing a ferry after the wedding when Mrs. Middleton fell into the water and the husband attempted her rescue. The bodies were recovered locked in each other's arms.

Morgan's Bones.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Thurlow Weed was interviewed by a reporter in reference to the new talk about the finding of Morgan's bones. He disbelieves the story, and in effect says that nothing new has been developed by this latest revival of the Morgan mystery.

Russia Favors Prince Alexander.

LONDON, June 24.—The *Journal de St. Petersburg* reasserts that the Russian Government has recommended the Bulgarian people to co-operate with Prince Alexander, and that the statement that the Russian Government has left the Prince to the mercy of his anarchial adversaries is false.

A French Duel—Both Combatants Wounded.

PARIS, June 24.—M. Louis De Cassagnac, a brother of Paul De Cassagnac, fought a duel with Captain Herissant. M. De Cassagnac after receiving a slight scratch on the hand wounded his adversary in the shoulder.

Revenue Receipts.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The receipts from internal revenue yesterday were $449,733 and from customs $684,223. The national bank notes received for redemption to-day amount to $195,000.

Large Tannery Destroyed.

BOSTON, Mass., June 24.—The tannery buildings of N. P. Treadwell burned at Salem, Mass., last night covered between two and three acres. The fire involves a loss of $165,000.

Closing Up the Windoms.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The Register of the Treasury has issued and mailed to holders of five per cents extended at 3½ per cent. a total of $157,106,000. Of this sum $16,550,000 were extended in lieu of coupon bonds. There are now in the office of the Register about $40,000,000, $5,000,000 of which are coupons, ready for issue. This can be completed at the present rate of issue in three days, part of the force working double hours to insure prompt deliveries.

Another Dark Horse.

ALBANY, June 24.—The appearance of Lieut. Gov. Hoskins in the canvass yesterday has excited some comment, and there is talk of his being one of the dark horses. It is known that while he's been counted a stalwart, he early disapproved of the action of the Senators when they resigned and has also expressed himself as opposed to their coming here to work in their canvass. He is in fact the candidate of the half stalwarts. Whether he will command votes enough in the two weeks yet remaining of the contest remains to be seen. Is is generally conceded the session and contest will yet continue two weeks. There are those, who think, however, now that the bribery investigation has been brought to a close that a compromise will be effected and adjournment had in one week.

The New York Senatorial Contest.

ALBANY, N. Y., 24.—The administration men were in good spirits yesterday. They say the Barber plot will end in smoke and that Conkling has exhausted his resources. James Tillinghast, assistant to the President of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, denied before the Bradley-Sessions investigating committee yesterday, that his visit to Mr. Barber's room at the Delavan House had any significance except that he asked Mr. Barber to telegraph him from day to day the result of the Senatorial vote. He never met Mr. Depew in Mr. Barber's room.

Presidential Reception at the Summer Capitol.

LONG BRANCH, June 24.—President Garfield gave a reception in the Ocean Hotel parlors yesterday at 1:30 P. M. Later in the afternoon he received in the parlors of the West End Hotel over three hundred of the Seventh Regiment of New York.

Terrible Work of Rats.

PHILADELPHIA June 25.—At 10 o'clock yesterday morning Mrs. Caroline Fritz, a poor woman residing with her husband and four children in a tenement, which might by courtesy be called a house, in the rear of 306 Brown street, after seeing two of her children off to school and consigning a third to the care of a neighbor, Mrs. Worst left her five weeks-old baby, Caroline, asleep upon a bed in the second story and started out to gather coal along the Germantown and Norristown Railroad tracks on Ninth street. Two hours subsequently she returned with her load, and barely a minute afterward, when she went up stairs, she was at a window shrieking for help, her face convulsed with horror and agony, and holding aloft in her arms to a neighbor's gaze the bloody, almost unrecognizable features of her child. "My God! Mrs. Ronnelstein," the agonized woman shrieked to her neighbor, whose house is in the rear of 305 Brown street, "look at that; the rats have eaten my baby. Go for a doctor." The neighbors also ran in, attracted by the screams. The return of the mother had routed the rats at their horrid feast. When she entered the lower room two big gray fellows came clattering down the stairs and disappeared in some of the numerous retreats lining the room.

THE BABY'S FIGHT FOR LIFE.

When she reached the upper chamber—the so-called house only having two apartments—she had found more than a dozen of the creatures devouring the infant's face and arms ravenously and the poor little thing trying her best with her puny and waning strength to fight them off. Before she went after the coal she had washed the child, dressed it afresh and laid it asleep upon the bed, covering it over with a piece of blue mosquito netting. On her return this netting was torn and gnawed and dragged away partly from the babe and was red with its blood. The rats fled up the chimney, in the holes around the floor, into an old-fashioned rubbish closet several feet above the floor and down the stair, some of them carrying with them in their jaws fragments of the little one's flesh. One dropped her nose upon the bed the covering of which was marked by the blood-stained foot-prints of the voracious crew. Dr. Wittkamp, who had been called, made an examination of the little sufferer and saw that its life would be of a few moments duration only. Nearly every ounce of blood had been sucked from its veins by its destroyers, leaving the babe bleached almost white.

Big Railroad Sale.

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—The sensation in local financial circles here yesterday afternoon, was the announcement of the sale of the Fourth and Eighth street Passenger Railway by its former owner, Mr. Wm. Singerly, of the *Record*. The price paid was $1,500,000. It is considered one of the best pieces of property in this section, and pays handsomely. It was bought by a syndicate said to represent the Union line. Mr. Singerly is the owner of the *Record*, and is flush in funds.

Sudden Death of an Editor.

BALTIMORE, June 25.—Leander Warren, commercial editor of the Baltimore *Gazette*, died this afternoon of heart disease, aged sixty-two He was taken ill on the floor of the Corn and Flour Exchange at noon but soon recovered. He then entered a restaurant, but before he could order a lunch was attacked more violently, and exclaimed "I'm very ill," fell back dead in the arms of an attendant.

Falsely Charged with Murder.

TROY, N. Y. June 25.—At the trial at Elizabethtown, Essex county, of Harriet Stone, aged fourteen, charged with the murder of an infant left in her charge, the jury promptly gave a verdict of not guilty. The little girl testified that she had been criminally assaulted by the father of the child, and that the babe was murdered by its mother to furnish a pretext for the charge.

Killed by a Tramp.

WILMINGTON, Del., June 25.—Joseph Mowbrey, a tramp from Baltimore, demanded food at the Holly Tree House this morning. As he was drunk the proprietor ordered him out. He then picked up a brick and struck James Guinty, an assistant at the hotel, inflicting wounds from which the victim died in a few minutes afterward. Mowbrey is under arrest.

Four Bullets in the Head.

GALVESTON, Texas, June 25,—A special to the *News* from San Saba says: "L. B. Chapman a prominent stockman, suffering from a relapse of the mumps, jumped from an upper story window of his house, ran into a store near by and shot himself four times in the head, one ball entering the brain.

A Passenger Train Wrecked.

MILWAUKEE, June 25.—A special to *The Republican* from Eau Claire says: "The Chicago express on the Chicago, St. Paul and Omaha Railroad was badly wrecked at Sunnyside, four miles from Eau Claire, this evening. Six passenger and three baggage cars were ditched. No persons were injured."

Family Tragedy.

WASHINGTON June 27.—The Catacazy mansion, No. 1,326 I street, a large double house facing Franklin square, in the fashionable part of the city, was the scene of a terrible tragedy about five o'clock Saturday afternoon, the actors in it from their family connection being known in all parts of the country. The murderer. James Y. Christmas, is the son-in-law of Mrs. General Myra Clark Gaines, who from her long continued suits in regard to property in New Orleans and elsewhere is known everywhere. The murdered man is her only son William Whitney, by her first husband. They resided with their families in the same house, now a boarding house, with Mrs. Gaines, though they lived on separate floors and for the past few months, on account of family quarrels had no personal contact. A wife and three children were the family of the dead man and three nearly grown children the family of Christmas. Some months since the two men, who had before that been engaged together in hair and glue business, disolved partnership. The cause of this was that Whitney, who was a man of about forty-five years frequently drank so much that he was unfitted to conduct or engage in business of any kind. Since then they have had frequent rows, though at no time did they result in personal violence toward each other. Whitney was very outspoken in regard to Christmas, charging that he always gained a living by relying on Mrs. Gaines and her generosity. The children of Christmas being without a mother, it appears received more kindnesses from Mrs. Gaines than did those of her own son Whitney. This seemed to be a source of great irritation to Whitney, and was assigned by him as the principal reason for his conduct.

Crop Prospects and Business.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 27. 1881.—Reports from forty towns in Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia regarding the condition of the crops and of business have been received here. While in some particulars the reports vary they unite in a very encouraging total. The tenor of them is that at present the outlook is favorable for a fair crop of wheat, although not quite up to that of last year, the effect of the recent rains having neutralized the increase of acreage. The same cause, together with dry weather in May, has affected the corn crop unfavorably, while oats promise a fair yield, and hay an unprecedented one. The fruit crop is not so promising, the prospects being that there will be but a light yield of apples and a very poor one of peaches. The small fruits, however, have done excellently. Reports on the business outlook in the surrounding towns are exceedingly satisfactory, with just enough exceptions to mark the rule. Trade is reported as being very brisk, with payments promptly made, farmers out of debt or rapidly reducing their liabilities, and the country generally in a very sound and healthy condition.

Public Execution.

MEMPHIS, June 27.—Wyatt Homes colored, was hanged on Friday at Holly Springs, Miss., for the murder of Andrew Scott, colored, last February. Five thousand people witnessed the execution, a large proportion being colored women. Intense excitement prevailed when Homes mounted the scaffold. The condemned addressed the crowd briefly, telling them to be quiet and listen to his words. "Don't charge," he said, "my being here to my parents, for they raised me right. Stay at home. Read your Bibles. Death has no dominion over me. Meet me at roll call in heaven." These words so worked up the negroes that it was almost impossible to keep them away from the scaffold. Some women fainted; others shouted 'Amen,' 'Bless the Lord,' 'Have Mercy.' At the conclusion of the speech a hymn was sung by the minister, in which the condemned joined. The rope was cut precisely at noon. Homes' neck was broken by the fall. The body was cut down after hanging fifteen minutes.

Grant Calls on the President.

ELBERON, LONG BRANCH June 27.—The reception given by the President Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the Elberon was the noteworthy social event at Long Branch. The noteworthy point in the reception was the call of General Grant. This is the first time the ex-President has attended an affair of the kind since he left the executive mansion. During the Hayes administration he was nearly half the time in Europe and Asia, and since his return Washington has not been a very attractive point for him. General Grant came down on the half-past five train from New York. Arriving at the Elberon depot he was informed of what was going on. His son's carriage took him to the Elberon in a few minutes when without the least formality he made one of the fashionable and unfashionable crowd that called. The meeting was exceedingly cordial on both sides.

The British Tourists.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 27. 1881.—The Duke of Sutherland and the distinguished party accompanying him were the recipients of polite attention in many quarters Saturday. During the morning they were shown through the Casino Grounds, which never looked prettier. Some of the party were present during the time of the reception. The Duke was taken to several places by Mr. George Fearing. Dr. Russell visited the fishing grounds at Graves Point, where there is a club house established by a number of summer residents. Sir Henry Green and Lady Green were driven out during the day. Mr. Wright, the Duke's secretary, has gone to West Island with Dr. Mitchell, of Philadelphia, and will remain until Monday. Mr. Sam Ward came by the Wickfort route and joined the party at the Ocenn House. Mr. James R. Keene will give a dinner party to-morrow to some of the Duke's party.

Likely to be Lynched.

SAN MARCIA, N. M. June 27.—Last night Paddy Ryan, a desperado, who lately escaped from jail at El Paso del Norte, where he was confined for the murder of a Mexican, was beating his wife, when Charles Walker, the town marshal, interfered. Ryan fired six shots at Walker, five of which entered his heart. The range was so close that Walker's clothes took fire and were burned from his body. Ryan escaped to the hills, pursued by a large force of citizens, who will certainly lynch him if they capture him.

Two Hundred Victims.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 25.—A whole train of cars on the Morelos Railroad tumbled down into the San Antonia River near Cuantla last night on account of the giving way of stone bridge. Nearly two hundred persons were killed and a great many were injured. Most of them were soldiers.

The Races Arranged.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., June 27.—Representatives of the Yale and Harvard boat clubs met on Saturday afternoon in New London and agreed to row on Friday next, July 1, in the afternoon, brobably between three and four o'clock.

The Harvard Columbia races will be rowed on Monday morning at eleven o'clock.

Fatal Shooting Accident.

SHELBYVILLE, Tenn., June 27.1881—In district twenty-five of this (Bedford) county the wife of Rev. Ephraim Anthony accidentally shot and killed herself yesterday at two P. M. The load of turkey shot passed throuth her body, causing instant death. Mr. Anthony is a Lutheran minister of prominence.

Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON, Monday, June 27.

Secretary Windom returned to the city on Saturday.

The commission of Alexander Jourdon, of Pennsylvania, as Consul of the United States at Algiers, has been signed by the President.

The agent of the Secret Service Division at New Orleans announces the arrest of one Hugh Dominic for passing and having in possession counterfeit coin.

A Youthful Couple.

A sewing machine agent in driving through Monroe county, Kentucky, drew up before a cottage and asked a beardless, 16-year old boy standing in the yard if his mother was at home "She is, but she don't live here," he answered, "I'm the head of this house." Finding the boy married, the agent went inside and encountered a child, who said she was the boy's wife and that when she was married she was not 11 years old. "What on earth did you marry for?" asked the agent. "Why do other folks marry?" the child replied. The boy said he intended to buy a sewing machine for his wife when she got big enough to sew. "Come around in three or four years," he said "and I'll take one."

The probable retirement of General Sherman is being discussed in legal and military circles. The General claims there is no provision in law for the retirement of a general or lieutenant general.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

From Canada.

We received on Saturday a brief epistle from Rev. Crittenden, who is attending the International Sunday-School Convention at Toronto, Canada, as a delegate from this State. As the reverend gentleman addresses himself to his friends in general hereabouts, we take the liberty of publishing the contents, thinking the same will be of interest to our readers:

TORONTO, Can., June, 22, '81.

Dear Friends at home:

The third International Sunday-School Convention, which it is my present great privilege to attend in this city, overfills the spacious and beautifully decorated pavillion of the Horticultural Gardens. Numbers went away this evening unable to find even standing room. Arrangements will be made for overflow meetings to-morrow. Earnest Christian workers of almost every name, from many nationalities, mingle here in delightful harmony. Universal study of the Word of God and the whole world for Christ, are the absorbing themes. The fact of a real "unity of the faith" among all true Christians is seen and sweetly realized in every session. The delegates from our Southern States have thus far awakenedrather more interest in the Convention than those from any other part of the wide field represented. It is good to be here, and should make us better men when we join the dear friends at home again.

Devotedly yours,
R. CRITTENDEN.

How Our Colored Citizens will Celebrate.

Our colored citizens have arranged quite an attractive programme of exercises for the Fourth of July demonstration, to take place in the A. M. E. church at half past seven o'clock of that evening. As will be seen, selections by some of the most prominent and talented of our sombre-hued population are embraced in the programme:

Opening hymn—"All Hail the Power." Followed by prayer.
Opening Address—"Our Recognition," Rev. J. M. Palmer.
Music—"My Country 'tis of Thee."
Address—"Advancement," Mr. G. G. Skinner.
Music—"Star Spangled Banner."
Address—by Mr. Chas. Garner.
Emancipation Proclamation—by Mr. W. H. Mills.
Declaration of Independence—by Mr. L. Calvin Green.
Address—"Liberty and Independence," Miss Kate Miller.
Recitation—"Barbara Fritcher," Miss Bertha Graham.
Address—"The Value of Time and Knowledge," Mrs. M. J. Palmer.
Closing Ode—"John Brown."
Adjourn to school building.

—The Prince of Wales is known as a great lover of the drama, and oftentimes, after a day on the rail from Paris or elsewhere, may be found in his box at night at some one of the theatres. But he unfortunately prefers the reproductions of the genius of Offenbach or the triumphs of the Bouffes Parisiens to the skill and art which illustrate on the stage, through Irving and Booth, the calculating deviltry of *Iago*, and the poisoning of the noble nature of the Moor. So his carriage was not found among the glittering throng that blocked the Strand when they performed. When this was somewhat upbraidingly mentioned, the good-natured Prince at once compromised by sending an invitation to dinner to Booth and Irving.

Now if that dinner had been prepared from goods purchased at Sechler's famous grocery everything would have been lovely, and the distinguished partakers of the feast would have opened their eyes in astonishment, as everybody else does who uses these groceries. They are astonished to find them so pure and fresh and healthy. It's a fact.

—A pantry that doesn't contain a supply of Sechler's family groceries is of not much account. For purity and freshness these goods cannot be approached, and no family should attempt to get along without them. They promote health and keep those who use them in good spirits.

—We have said so often, and we say so again, that smokers cannot find such an excellent stock of cigars to select from as Harry Green keeps, anywhere else. Everybody knows this, and that's the reason everybody goes to him when in search of a good article.

—If you intend going away to spend the Fourth, don't forget to lay in a stock of Harry Green's cigars beforehand. You won't find an article to compare with his anywhere else.

—For spices, pure and fresh and full of strength, go to Sechler's. Articles of food seasoned with these spices will be found healthy and palatable.

—Persons with sensitive jaws have no trouble in chewing Sechler & Co.'s tobacco. It is always fresh and kept in good condition for use.

—Had very sore eyes, almost blind. PERUNA cured me. A. BENDER, S. S. Pittsburg, Pa.

—Special inducements for orders for Clothing during the summer months.

12-50tf MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Blackwood's Magazine for June is out in good season from the press of THE LEONARD SCOTT PUBLISHING CO., 41 Barclay St., N. Y. It deals largely in poetry; and the article, "A Talk about Odes," a companion paper to the "Talk about Sonnets," which appeared in the numbrr for August last, is filled with quotations.

The "Land of Khemi" is a fertile oasis about seventy miles southwest of Cairo, and is supposed to be intimately associated with the history of Joseph; many interesting antiquities have been discovered there.

"Beolco and the 'Commedia dell' Arte," is an account of an early Italian dramatist, whose comedies illustrating rural life and manners, and written in the peasant dialect's, are still popular with the villagers. Several of his plays are here described, with numerous extracts.

Besides these we have "The Cruise of the Coya," a fishing excursion in the wilds of Norfolk; a continuation of "The Private Secretary," which approaches a conclusion, and "Mattie; the History of an Evening" which reminds us of the story of Cinderella.

The appearance of the Index suggests that the present is a good time to subscribe for a new volume, and any one who reads this number must feel that in so doing he is likely to get more than the worth of his money.

The periodicals reprinted by THE LEONARD SCOTT PUBLISHING CO., (41 Barclay Street N. Y.) are as follows: *The London Quarterly, Edinburgh, Westminster*, and *British Quarterly Reviews*, and *Blackwood's Magazine*. Price $4 a year for any one, or only $15 for all, and the postage is prepaid by the Publishers.

THE CENTURY CO. (*Formerly Scribner & Co.*)—The name of the corporation formerly known as Scribner & Co. (publishers of *Scribner's Monthly, St. Nicholas*, "The Spiritual Songs Series" of hymn and tune books, "Songs for the Sanctuary," etc.) has now been changed to The Century Co. The title of *Scribner's Monthly* will become *The Century*, with the next volume *St. Nicholas* is slightly changed as to its subtitle, being now *St. Nicholas an Illustrated Magazine for Young Folks*. The July numbers of these magazines are the first to bear the new corporate imprint.

Scribner for July contains a paper of special and timely interest, "The People's Problem," in which the writer takes the ground that the time has come for the people of this country to exercise their right to "alter the government."

Besides a wealth of literary and illustrated matter, there are also, in this number, the concluding chapters of two brilliant novelettes, "Madame Delphine," by George W. Cable (begun in May), and "A Fearful Responsibility," by W. D. Howells (begun in June). The May, June and July numbers, containing these two complete novelettes are offered for $1.00

On the 25th of June will be published the July number of *St. Nicholas*, containing many brilliant features for vacation-time, including chapters of two capital serials for boys by ROSSITER JOHNSON and W. O. STODDARD; "how to Stock and keep a Fresh-Water Aquarium;" a full page portrait of DENGREMONT, the boy-violinist; "Stories of Art and Artists," with some exquisite reproductions, etc.

Price of *Scribner's Monthly*, $4.00 a year; 35 cents a number. *St. Nicholas*, $3.00 a year; 25 cents a number. Sold everywhere.

Useful Hints.

Hair-brushes are best cleaned by washing them in saleratus or soda water which removes all the oily coating.

Grated rotten stone mixed in either sweet oil or alcohol will polish brass or kerosene oil and a flannel cloth, or sapolio.

To clean black cassimeres, wash in hot suds, with a little borax in the water, rinse in very blue water and iron while damp, on the wrong side.

To make silk which has been wrinkled appear exactly like new, sponge it on the surface with a weak solution of gum arabic or white glue, and iron on the wrong side.

Black cotton gloves will not crack the hands if scalded in salt and water before wearing. The salt prevents fading. When almost dry, one should put them on in order to stretch them and keep them in good shape.

Cure for chapped hands: One part of glycerine, four of Pond's extract of witch hazel, four of water; put in a bottle and shake well; it is ready for use immediately; it is well to shake thoroughly each time of using.

A good way to keep cut flowers fresh is to lay them in wet cloths. Take them out of the vases at night, sprinkle with cold water, and wrap them with cloth very wet. The weight of the cloth will not crush the most delicate flowers, while it keeps out the air and prevents their falling to pieces or opening further.

No Hospital Needed.

No palatial hospital needed for Hop Bitters patients, nor large-salaried talented puffers to tell what Hop Bitters will do or cure, as they tell their own story by their certain and absolute cures at home.—*New York Independent.*

When a Leadville man is elected deacon of a church he isn't considered to do the polite thing if he doesn't invite the vestry out to liquor.

—You need it, your wife needs it, your cousins and your sisters and your aunts need it, likewise the children need it—for it cures their coughs like magic. We mean Green's Comp. Syrup of Tar, Honey and Bloodroot.

A horse seized a little girl with its teeth at Dayton, Ill., carried her several blocks, and then trampled her to death.

—For three years my son was sore all over. PERUNA cured him. J. NEUENSCHWANDER, S. S. Pittsburg, Pa.

—The new "B" Howe Sewing machine, a perfect novelty; call at the Howe Sewing machine office, Allegheny St. Bellefonte, and see it.

MRS. N. K. DARE, Agent.
A. C. Moore, Manager.

—To our farmer friends we can say that our stock of goods for their use in house or farm is unequalled in Centre county. Give us a call and examine stock and prices.

Wilson, McFarlane & Co.

—The retail price of Logan Cement on and after this date will be two dollars per barrel and no charge for bags or barrels. H. K. Hicks.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES notice that he did purchase, at Constable's sale, on Friday, June 24th, all the personal property in the possession of Abraham Alten, of Benner township, consisting of horses, cows, sheep, farm machinery, etc., and all persons are hereby warned against purchasing or in any way meddling with the same.

26-3t WILLIAM WITMER.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE OF HENRY ECKENROTH, late of Spring township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement, to

MRS. CHARLOTTE ECKENROTH,
Administratrix.

Pleasant Gap, Pa. 26-6t

LETTING.—PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING a school house at Sugar Camp, Snow Shoe township, will be received by the Secretary of the School Board until July 9th, 1881. The work will be given out to the lowest bidder. Specifications can be seen on Secretary's book, at Abel Campbell's, at any time. Building must be finished by September 15, 1881. The School Board reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

26-3t ABEL CAMPBELL,
Sec'y Snow Shoe School Dist.

Valuable Farm for Sale.

The subscriber will offer at private sale the valuable and well known farm belonging to the heirs of JOHN MUSSER, dec'd, situated one mile southwest of Bellefonte, containing one hundred and sixty-five acres.

The farm is in the highest state of cultivation. It is well calculated for two farms, as there are two sets of buildings well located for a division, and timber at each end of the farm. The buildings are all in perfect repair. Good, thriving orchard with each building.

For terms, apply on the premises or to S. D. & M. M. MUSSER, attorneys for the heirs, Millheim, Pa. 26-3m

FIREWORKS

JUST RECEIVED AT

THEO. DESCHNER'S

High St., Bellefonte,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

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Consisting in part of

ROMAN CANDLES,
ROCKETS,
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FLORAL BOMB SHELLS,
CANNON CRACKERS,
FIRE CRACKERS,
UNION CANDLES,
VERTICAL WHEELS,
STAR MINES,
FLOWER POTS,

And an infinite variety of articles to please the little folks, but nothing dangerous.

Thankful for past favors, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

Theo. Deschner,
Gunsmith,
High Street, Bellefonte, Penn.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—NOTICE is hereby given, that an application will be made under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Snow Shoe Coal and Improvement Company," the character and object of which is to carry on the business of mining, shipping and selling of bituminous coal and other minerals, the manufacturing and selling of lumber, with the right to purchase, hold and convey timber and coal lands and to improve and develope the same, and to manufacture iron and construct furnaces, and to dispose of all necessary property, real and personal, in connection with said business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, franchises and privileges conferred by said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

EDMUND BLANCHARD,
June 14, 1881. 24-3t Solicitor.

LETTING.—PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING stone abutments for a bridge across Pine Creek, in Haines township, will be received by the County Commissioners until 12 o'clock M., July 5th, 1881. Specifications can be seen at their office in Bellefonte. The contract to be let to the lowest responsible bidder. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

ANDREW GREGG,
GEORGE SWAB,
JACOB DUNKLE,
Commissioners.

HENRY BECK, Clerk. 24-3t

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RELIABLE

BOOTS & SHOES.

BROCKERHOFF ROW, BELLEFONTE, PA.

Ladies' Lace Shoes for $1.00.
Ladies' Button Shoes for $1.50.
Ladies' Lasting Shoes for 90c.
Ladies' Lasting Shoes, kid foxed, for $1.25.
Ladies' Carpet Slippers for 25c.
Ladies' Carpet Slippers for 50c.
Ladies' Lasting Slippers for 42c.
Gents' Dress Shoes (worth $2.25) for $1.85.
Gents' Dress Shoes (worth $2.00) for $1.65.
Gents' good Leather Slippers, 85c.

In addition to the above we have an elegant line of Ladies,' Misses' and Children's FINE SHOES, FINE SLIPPERS and WALKING SHOES.

Our Ladies' French Kid of the Dimon & Disbrow make, are universally pronounced to be superior in every respect to any in the United States. Every pair warranted.

We can save you money. Try us and be convinced.

DOLL & MINGLE.

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New Advertisements.

WHAT WE HAVE NOT GOT!

We have no Dress goods, all wool, and a yard wide, at 8 cents per yard.

We have no yard-wide Muslins at 2 cents per yard.

We have no Calicos at 2 cents per yard.

We have no hand-made Shoes, all warranted, at 75 cents per pair.

We have no First-Class, all wool suits for Men, at $2.50.

We have no trash of any kind that we are trying to gull the community with.

BUT WE HAVE GOT

A better grade of Dress Goods, at 15 cents and up, than can be bought at any other store in Bellefonte at same price.

We have at from 6 cents up a better value in Bleached and Unbleached Muslins than the same price will buy you elsewhere.

We have CARPETS that have two ounces more wool to the yard, at same prices that lower grades bring elsewhere.

We have the LARGEST STOCK of CARPETS, best assortment to select from that can be found in Centre county.

We have the best Three Dollar Child's Suits that the money can procure.

We have the best Five Dollar School Suits in Bellefonte for that price.

We have the best Ten Dollar Suits for Men sold anywhere.

We have the best work, trimmings, fits and appearance in our Clothing for the money procured in the county. All first-class Clothiers are selling the same make of Clothing. No slop-shop trash, thrown or pasted together, but regularly sewed, same as any Merchant Tailor would or could make them.

We have the very best hand-made BOOTS and SHOES that we can find, and warrant them. And our warrant means just what it expresses.

We have a reputation of 30 years' trading at stake to uphold all we advertise.

We have the interest of our Trade at stake, and always strive to keep our Customers well satisfied. This we accomplish by always giving the full value for what money they give us.

Call and convince your wavering mind.

S. & A. LOEB.

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Second Arrival of Spring Goods!

Our trade has been so much larger than we expected that Mr. Gust Lyon has been compelled to go East for a

SECOND SPRING STOCK.

We have just received the handsomest stock of LAWNS, very beautiful Patters, from 7c upwards

A NEW LINE OF

BUNNTING, GRENADINES and HERNANIS.

WE CAN SHOW YOU A HANDSOME LINE OF

CHINTZES, CRETONNES, AND PERCALES.

Undoubtedly we have the Best and most varied Assortment of

Ladies' Underwear, Skirts, Night Gowns, and Suits Complete.

We have SKIRTS from 38 cts. to $6.50, trimmed in EMBROIDERY or LACE. CHEMISE from 40 cts. to $3, in all Styles. Lady Clerks in attendance to show you these goods.

LADIES' LINEN ULSTERS,

The Largest Variety now Open that can be Found Anywhere. We need not quote prices of them, but we Guarantee them 15 cts. Cheaper than any other House in the County. In PARASOLS, we can Beat anything around here

Ladies' Slippers, Walking Shoes, Button Walking Shoes, Inlaid Sandals

BOX TOED and otherwise; we can show you about 30 varieties, bought direct from the Mananufacturers.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

The Largest and Most Complete Stock of CLOTHING Ever Brought to Town.

SUMMER SUITS, $3,75,

A BEAUTIFUL LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT SUIT AND HEAVY SUITS AT $4.75.

A Good Linen and Cassimer Suit at $5.00 A nice Dress Suit at $6.75, $7.50, $8.00, $10.00—Good Quality. Light and Dark Cassimers. The best qualities of Suits, in all wool Cassimeres, Diagonals, Basket Patterns, and Vassalburgs, from $10.00 up.

We are willing to wager that we have sold more Pan's this Season as any 30 other concerns combined; Because we had better and better made, and Cheaper than you can find anywhere. Boys' Good Pants, 75 cents. Mens' Good Pants, $1.00

We have Warner & Co's Celebrated Pants for $1.25; Celebrated because they are better made and better goods than any other Pants for the money.

Boots! Boots! Shoes! Shoes!

We can now show Three Times as many Shoes than any other concern. Men's Low Cut Button Shoes, Oxford Ties, High Button Shoes, Buckle Shoes. We have them very cheap for parties who don't want to pay much, from $1.25 up. And we have the best, good, serviceable and fine Shoes.

Come and see for yourselves if we don't do all we say. We are running four large stores, and buy goods direct from the Manufactures, and we can offer to sell cheap. All goods marked in plain figures, and strictly One Price,

LYON & CO.

Branch Stores--Philipsburg, Pa., Reynoldsville, Pa., Houtzville, Pa.

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New Advertisements.

The Bee Hive Stores.

GENTS' DEPARTMENT.

As the summer season has advanced we are now offering special inducements and big bargains in Clothing made to order. It will pay you to call and examine them.

Just take a look at our fine line of Summer Underwear. We have them as low as 16 cts. for Undershirts, and a very good article at the price.

Our line of Dress Straw Hats we have marked down 15 per cent. in order to close them out before the season is over.

In Shirts we have an immense stock, such as White Dress, Calico, Percale, Cheviots, Blue Flannel, &c., from 25 cts. up.

Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, and really everything in the Gents' Furnishing line that you may call for. We have a large stock, and have marked all down to the lowest figures.

We are still making our Bee Hive Overalls. They are made out of the Best Material in our Tailor shop, and every pair warranted not to rip. Price, $1.00

You can convince yourself of the truth of the above by calling on

Yours, Respectfully,

Bauland & Newman,
Originators of the One Price System,
BELLEFONTE, PA.

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New Advertisements.

New York Clothing House

We are now daily opening out new lines of fresh goods, and we propose to offer the public the most complete and varied assortment in every department that can be found.

We need hardly dwell on the fact that NO HOUSE CAN OR DOES UNDERSELL US We warrant our goods to be RELIABLE IN QUALITY AND LOWER IN PRICE (material and workmanship considered) than can be found in Bellefonte. Our trade, which is increasing daily, is the most positive proof of the fact.

Look what our various counters contain:

MEN'S COUNTERS.

MEN'S FINE, ALL CASSIMER SUITINGS.

Men's fine Cheviot Suitings,		Men's Fine Dress Suitings,	
Men's Union Cassimer	"	Men's Fancy Plaid	"
Men's Diagonal	"	Men's Silk Mixed	"
Men's M'dlesex Flannel	"		

BOYS' COUNTERS.

Boys' handsome Diagonal Suitings, ages 8 to 10 years.

Boys' all Wool Dress	"	"	"	"
Boys' Blue Cloth	"	"	"	"
Boys' Nobby Cheviot	"	"	"	"
Boys' Berkshire Cassimer	"	"	"	"
Boys' Russell Cassimer	"	"	"	"
Boys' Yacht Cloth Flannel	"	"	"	"
Boys' Strong School	"	"	"	"

CHILDREN'S COUNTERS.

For Children from 3 to 10 years of age.

Children's Knickerbocker Suitings.		Children's Dark Grey Suitings.	
Children's Indigo Sailor	"	Children's Basket Worsted	"
Children's fine Cassimer	"	Children's wide ribbed Diag.	"
Children's Rock Mill Cas.	"	Children's Kilt (all wool)	"

Furnishing Goods Counters.

Fine Neck Wear.	Summer Merino Underwear.
White and Fancy Colored Shirts.	Overshirts and Overalls.
Fancy Suspenders.	Fine Soft and Stiff Hats.
Collars and Cuffs.	Fine Straw Hats.

Our stock of Trunks, Satchels, etc., is complete, with all the leading styles, which we are selling at bottom prices. Purchasers will find it to their advantage by calling at the

New York Clothing House,

M. ASH, Proprietor.

Allegheny Street, Opposite Brockerhoff House, Bellefonte, Pa.

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If you cannot read this print distinctly by lamp or gaslight in the evening at a distance of 10 inches, your eyes are failing, no matter what your age, and your eyes need help. Your sight can be improved and preserved if properly corrected. It is a wrong idea that spectacles should be dispensed with as long as possible. If they assist the vision use them. There is no danger of seeing too well, so long as the print is not magnified; it should look natural size but plain.

It is known to all who have been compelled to resort to the use of Spectacles (notwithstanding they may be perfectly fitted to correct the optical defects), that for some cause, not until recently well defined, their use was attended with fatiguing, smarting, and otherwise disagreeable sensations. This is a universal fact of experience, and has been supposed to be entirely beyond remedy. This disagreeable sensation and disturbance of the eye is produced chiefly, perhaps we ought to say entirely, from the fact that ordinary lenses increase the sensation of heat (to which the eye, more than any other organ or part of the body, is sensitive), as also the actinic or chemical properties of the rays of light.

It is well known that these peculiarities of light are identified with certain colors of each ray; and the point of importance, or without using technicalities, is to construct lenses so that these properties of light shall be neutralized; this can be done by introducing a neutralizing tint into their manufacture, the difficulty of which, however, consists in the selection of a color which shall have this effect, and, at the same time, shall not otherwise impair the lenses for purposes of vision. The

Arundel Tinted Lens

Is designed to effect this purpose. The peculiarity of its manufacture consists in the introduction into the glass of a slight Violet Color, *in such manner that the* high *and* low *numbers of the lens prepared from this glass, although* varying in thickness, *are of the same delicate tint and of sufficient power to neutralize the heating and actinic power of the rays of light. Read the following:*

[From R. S. Mershon, Esq., Zanesville, Ohio.]

"I have put the Arundels through the following tests:—I placed an eight-inch Arundel, and an eight-inch white lens side by side, sharply focused in the strong sunlight, with their foci directed on the bulbs of two thermometers, and the difference was four (4°) degrees in temperture in favor of the ARUNDEL. Again, I placed the same lenses side by side on a piece of sensitised photographic paper, and the white glass discolored the surface quicker than the ARUNDEL. These two tests prove these two points, viz: that the ARUNDEL intercepts the solar heat-rays and the chemical rays also."

And the following from a Centre county man whose letter can be seen at my store:

* * * *"I am very much pleased with the glasses. They have been more beneficial to my eyes than all the medicine I ever put in them."*

If you experience any unpleasantness in reading or can't see distinctly, come in and have your eyes tested. I think I have something good for you.

FRANK P. BLAIR,
Brockerhoff House Block.

Bellefonte Republican.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

Three Men Killed in a Wreck.

FREEPORT, June 22.—An accident of a most frightful character occurred on the West Penn Railroad at this place yesterday afternoon by which three persons lost their lives and a train was badly wrecked. The accident occurred about half past four o'clock. Train No 42, consisting of a locomotive and eleven cars loaded with coke and lime stone, was passing through the town at the usual rate of speed when a cow on the track attracted the engineer's attention. The cow was crossing just in front and it was too late to check up. The cow catcher struck the animal, killing it, and the body got under the catcher in such a way as to lift the wheels from the track. This occurred just about thirty feet from the bridge over the Buffalo creek—a wooden structure which was supposed to be stout enough to stand any pressure that would be brought against it. The momentum of the train carried it on to the bridge, where the weight of the engine and the force of the shock of the wheels off the track crushed the structure in. The engine followed by several cars went crashing through into the creek, which at this time contains four feet of water. Only one span of the bridge broke, but it was enough to let the locomotive and eleven cars go down. The descent is about thirty-five feet.

The instant the crash was heard the people of the town began to gather at the place to render all the assistance necessary. It was at first supposed that every person connected with the train had been killed, but the conductor, who had been on the second car, and Brakeman Gallaghar, on the second car, turned up. They had observed what was coming and had jumped for their lives and succeeded in landing safely, though considerably stunned. This left three men missing who were known to be killed.

THE KILLED.

The killed embraced the following as subsequently developed:

MR. ALEX. SNOWDEN, of Freeport. He was on the engine with the engineer and went down with the locomotive. When recovered the body was found to be horribly mutilated and scarcely recognizable. He was about 50 years of age and unmarried.

JAMES REPINE, engineer. He jumped off ahead of the engine, but was caught and borne down by the wreck and crushed to death. He was a married man and resided in this place.

JAMES DIETRICH, fireman. He tried to jump from the engine, but failed, and was carried down with the wreck. He was afterward found among the debris. His chest was crushed in and the body was found lying against the head of the boiler. A large iron rod held him fast, and from the time the fingers of his hand were first discovered it was fully six hours before the body could be recovered from the wreck. He was about 35 years of age, married and resided in Blairsville. The remains will be taken to Blairsville for interment to morrow morning.

The Latest Texas Tragedy.

NEW YORK, June 21.—A Marshal, Texas, dispatch says a tragedy occurred near there yesterday, resulting in the death of two men. Isado Verge and Robert Dill had an altercation which led to blows and at length to a shooting affray, in which Verge was killed by Dill. The latter fled to the canebrakers, just over the Louisiana line, whither he was pursued by a sheriff's posse. They at last overtook him in a brake and called upon him to surrender. This he refused to do. The posse then opened fire upon the desperado. Twenty shots were fired, resulting in the instant death of Dill, whose body was literally riddled with rifle balls.

Robbed His Bed Fellow.

SMITHVILLE, O., June 22.—On Monday night about 11 o'clock Thomas McGowen, a laborer on the Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad and a boarder at J. Zigfried's, stole a new silver watch and chain, valued at thirty-five dollars, from Calvin Johnson, his bed fellow, and skipped out on the freight. He cut the telephone wire between Smithville and Smithville Station, thereby cutting off communication and making good his escape. He is about thirty years old, five feet six inches, dark hair, wears dark suit, has two front fingers off right hand.

Star Route Cases.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The Government is ready to proceed at once in the principal star route cases. The grand and petit juries of the June term of the District Criminal Court were empaneled yesterday. To morrow Judge Cox will deliver the charge to the grand jury. Whether the presentments and indictments in the cases of Brady, Dorsey et al. shall be made now or in the fall depends entirely upon Judge Cox. If he goes to the seaside July 1, as he does annually, the matter will go over; if not the presentment will be made at once. The indictments will be brought in and the cases set for trial at an early day. Judge Cox thinks that all the accused now awaiting trial in the Criminal Court should be accorded trial before the star route case are touched. This will probably be the order of procedure. No one need think should delay occur, that it is because the government is not ready. The government is ready. It could not be more thoroughly prepared for the work before it. Let it be remembered that MacVeagh's motto in every case is: Presentment, indictment, conviction." He knows no such word as fail.

Pruning The Mail Service

WASHINGTON, June 22.—An order was issued by the Postmaster General yesterday to abolish on the first of July all that portion of mail route No. 32,034, from Vinita, Indian Territory, to Las Vegas, New Mexico B. W. Parker, contractor, which extends through the uninhabited region between Tulsa in Indian Territory, and Mobesta in the Northwestern Texas, a distance of 366 miles. Under the existing contract the Government pays for mail service three times a week over the entire length of the route 810 miles. Local semi-weekly service will be ordered from Vinita to Tulsa, and tri-weekly service retained between Mobesta and Las Vegas, 344 miles connection being made at Mobesta with Eastern mail service via Camp Supply. The saving to be effected by the reduction of this route will be $52,000 per annum.

Wm. H. Turner, one of the principal clerks in the contract office, who for several years had charge of the star routes in most of the territories, was to-day removed and George M. Sweeney appointed to the place.

A Question Affecting National Banks.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The Secretary of the Treasury has requested from the Attorney General his construction of section 3 of the act of June 20, 1874, upon the point whether national banks can deposit in the redemption fund gold and silver coin as well legal tender notes, and whether the Treasurer can redeem National bank notes in coin, the Treasurer holding that legal tender only can be deposited by banks and the circulation of banks redeemed at the Treasury only in such notes.

The Beer Brewers' Strike.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Committees from boss brewers union and from the saloon keepers organization met this afternoon to settle the difficulties existing between the former and their workmen. It was conceded that the black list should be abolished and that the strikers should work 12 hours per day and work from one to three hours on Sunday without extra pay.

Morgan Excitement Revised.

NEW YORK, June 22.—The *Times* has a story from Batavia, New York, which says: "The town is filled with excitement to-day over the discovery of what are believed to be the remains of Wm. Morgan, the man who betrayed the secrets of the Freemasons in his book, entitled "Morgan's Illustrations of Masonry," fifty-five years ago, and was abducted and made away with before the work was given to the public.

The Cabinet at the Seaside.

LONG BRANCH, June 23.—Secretaries Windom and Hunt and Postmaster General James arrived last evening, Secretary Lincoln meeting them at Monmouth junction. General Grant arrived from New York. The General is stopping with his son Jesse in a cottage opposite the hotel where their meals are served. Secretary Lincoln is the guest of General Porter. The remainder of the Cabinet have rooms in the hotel. President Garfield was out riding when Grant arrived. While Garfield was at dinner Grant visited the hotel but they did not meet. Secretaries James, Hunt and Lincoln were out riding at the time. Later the President and all the members of the Cabinet here were in consultation. Garfield, Windom, Hunt and James are in consultation. Acting Secretary Colonel Rockwell informed the reporter that nothing can be obtained of the correspondence between Garfield and Grant, and that the meeting of the President and Cabinet is private. The Seventh Regiment of veterans will be reviewed by Garfield and the Cabinet at Elberon to-day, and by Grant from his son's cottage opposite the side avenue. Grant is expected to preside at the Pennsylvania editors' dinner to-day.

A large number of visiting Pennsylvania editors enjoyed an excursion to the fishing banks yesterday and last night a grand ball was given in their honor. A committee of the editorial association waited upon President Garfield and Cabinet last evening. The President appointed 1 o'clock to-day as the hour of his reception at the Ocean Hotel.

New York Senatorial Conflict.

ALBANY, June 21.—The joint convention of the Legislature balloted for Senators yesterday with the same result as heretofore—no choice.

After the first Platt ballot Senator Braman moved to adjourn. On this the ayes and naes were called. The Conkling men and Hamilton and R. M. Tuttle voting with the Democrats carried the motion, 53 to 41. A hasty canvas between the Platt ballot and the announcement on the vote on adjournment showed that if another ballot had been taken five votes would have been gained for Depew, and a third ballot probably would have elected him.

Vice President Wheeler remarked to-day that the only way out of the present difficulty is to elect as one Senator any man Conkling might name.

Conkling Cheerful.

NEW YORK, June 21.—Gen. Grant and Ex-Senators Conkling and Platt left the hotel about 10 o'clock this morning, and proceeded down town on business. Conkling's friends stated that his presence would not be required in Albany for the present, and he will thus be afforded an opportunity to attend to some legal business in this city, for which he has been retained. Gen. Grant's departure was almost unnoticed, and appeared desirous to escape observation. A few of the stalwarts called on Conkling before he had left the hotel, and it was decided that as the balloting to-day at the Capitol would be a mere formality, the usual delegation might postpone their trip thither till to-morrow evening. Mr. Conkling has utilized his leisure during the past three days in compiling the evidence furnished him in connection with the bribery investigation.

It was remarked by all who called to see Conkling that not since the commencement of the Senatorial contest has he appeared so cheerful. Contrary to his usual custom, he passed through the halls and corridors of the hotel and mingled freely with the guests, and entertained his visitors without any ceremony. The general impression was that but for the bribery revelations this would be the last week of the session, as an adjournment will soon become desirable to all the factions.

Getting Sick of It.

ALBANY, June 23.—The usual conferences were held yesterday afternoon. There is a growing restiveness among the members and a large majority strongly desire to adjourn and leave the Senatorial contest undecided. The Democrats especially are of this disposition and will vote with either section at any time for adjournment. Leading stalwarts, under the advice of Conkling, are opposed to adjournment, yet the falling off in the vote of Platt is taken by the leaders, including Conkling, as a warning that neither can be elected, and is an indication that a successor to Platt will soon be sprung, to be followed by one of Conkling. The stalwarts will hold fast to their position to oppose final adjournment until the last of the week.

Hanging Not Played Out in England.

LONDON, June 23.—In the House of Commons the bill introduced by Mr. Pease, for the obolition of capital punishment, was rejected on the motion for second reading—175 to 80. During the debate a very general feeling was expressed in favor of the classification of the various murder as in America. The Home Secretary opposed it, but favored an alteration of the law which should distinguish between murder with malice aforethought and other murders. The extent to which murders had decreased, he said, showed the deterring effect of hanging, the abolition of which was not supported by a great majority of the nation. Sir Richard Cross said he thought ir Wm. V. Harcourt very satisfactorily accounted for his conversion from his former advocacy of the abolition of capital punishment. John Bright and most of the Home Rulers voted in the minority.

An Uncle of the President Killed.

CLEVELAND, June 23.—Intelligence was received in this city late yesterday afternoon of an accident which resulted in the death of Thomas Garfield, uncle of the President, and serious injury to Mrs. Alonzo Arnold, sister of Dr. Boynton, who is a cousin of the President. The accident occurred shortly after three o'clock yesterday afternoon, near Randall station about twelve miles from here. Mr. Garfield who is eighty years of age, was driving in a buggy with Mrs. Arnold, by the track of the New York Pennsylvania and Ohio railroad. They were just

DRIVING OVER A CROSSING,

when the west bound passenger No. 6 came thundering along. Mr. Garfield tried to get out of the way but failed, and the locomotive struck the buggy and it was dragged fully two hundred feet before the train could be checked up. The concussion had thrown both occupants out. Mr. Garfield was thrown a distance of twenty feet, and when found was insensible. He

NEVER SEEMED TO BREATHE

after he had been picked up. He was taken into his residence near by and physicians summoned, but they were of no avail.

Mrs. Arnold fared scarcely better. She was thrown from the vehicle with great force and caught on the pilot of the engine. When found it was discovered that her skull had been terribly fractured, and the physicians gave no hope of her recovery.

Another Balloonatic.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Prof. Samuel A. King, aeronaut, of Philadelphia, has in contemplation an extended balloon voyage, starting from some point far inland and traveling if possible to the Atlantic seaboard. Prof. King believes that surface currents of air set steadily eastward and this trip is intended as an experimental one, preparatory to a voyage across the Atlantic. The funds for the experimental trip have already been subscribed, and it will be made in the early fall, probably from the Mississippi river, with a very large baloon and all the facilities for scientific observations.

No Small-pox There.

ERIE, PA., June 23.—Reports have been extensively circulated that Northeast, a small town near Erie, is scourged with the smallpox, but investigation shows but one very light case of varioloid, from which no danger is apprehended.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The British Commons.

LONDON, June 21.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Gladstone, replying to the question of Ms. Stanhope, Conservative, of which notice was given June 16th, as to whether representations had been made to the American government in regard to American organizations for committing outrages in England, made a semi-humerous speech. He said he was not aware what grounds Stanhope had for speaking of the preparations in America for outrages in England. He pointed out newspaper incitements, by no means limited to the commission of outrages in the various parts of England, but indicated individuals, giving some particular prominence. His allusion to threats to shoot himself and Forster was received with laughter and cheers. Gladstone said in conclusion that, viewing the nature of these extraordinary productions, the Government thought it right to bring the facts to the knowledge of the Government of the United States.

The House this evening went into committee on the land bill. Healy's amendment to the third clause, doing away with the distinction between present and future tenancies, was rejected—301 to 59. E. Dwyer Gray's amendment that the Govenment should extend the benefits of the bill to tenants who were in arrears of rent through no fault of their own, was withdrawn. Clause three passed without division.

The Rioting at Marseilles.

PARIS, June 21.—In the Chamber of Deputies, the Minister of the Interior, replying to a question, said the fighting in Marseilles was begun by a number of Italian laborers attacking a party of French workmen. This caused reprisals, and in the evening series of affrays, four persons were killed and seventeen wounded. He added that every precaution had been taken to preserve peace. The *Journal des Debats* admits the Italians were the first to foment the quarrel by hissing, but remarks that did not justify the acts of the municipality or excesses on Saturday.

A deputation of five French workmen went to Julien tanner, in Marseilles, and summoned the proprietors to dismiss their Italian employes, threatening that in the event of refusal six hundred French workmen would visit the works to-morrow and prevent the Italians from gaining admission. The deputation stated their action was resolved upon by Syndical chambers. The affair increased the excitement. Precautions have been taken to prevent the threat from being carried out.

"This is a Cat."

At a recent cat show in New York the prize for the cat essay ($10) was awarded to Walter C. Quevedo, Brooklyn, his effort being the best of 557. It was attached to a common wooden "Tip" cat such as little boys play with. It was as follows:

"THIS IS A CAT."

"The inclosed cat knocked at our office window a few years ago, and then came in without being introduced. Since then it has never eaten anything nor shown an inclination to become aquainted with the back fence. It is perfectly docile, but is apt to jump when stroked upon the back. Besides this species there are two other kinds of cats—the cat of nine tails and the cat of nine lives. The cat proper and improper derives his name from the manner in which you address him at night, thus—'Scat!'

"The cat is a cuss that mews and purrs, he cuss purrhaps it a mew ses him. He is covered with fur, is filled with deceitfulness and abounds in cheek. I said that on purr puss. He can place himself outside of a canary in full bloom, and then come and sit by your side and look up in your face with a smile that is 'child-like and bland,' chuck full of penitence and canary. Can ary other animal do this? His fur is soft and glossy, but what this is fur I cannot say. It isn't so soft, however, but what it will break bricks. The cat is a smaller bird than the mule. As a general thing the cat can draw more than any other animal except a mustard plaster. I have known him to draw two boot-jacks, a scuttle of coal, two or three charges of a gun, two or three swears out of a man, and other articles of bedroom furniture out of a third story window. This can also be said of the average German band. In fact they are somewhat related, as the discoverer of the fiddle, listening to the music of the cat, cut him open to see where the noise came from, and thus laid the foundation for fiddle strings. Cats and fiddles thus became viol instigators of suicides. They are unfeeline. I would say something about the cat o'-nine-tails, but it is a painful subject. Another reason is I don't know anything about them. See Mr. Bergh. Please send the $10 by any of my kind reportorial friends. You might also send a policeman with the reporter. Yours, categorically."

Curious History of a Lunatic.

James D. Rymus was a patient in a private mad-house. Mrs. Bigelow, wife of the physician in charge, took a deep interest in his case. She believed that insanity could be cured by moral suasion and generally mild treatment, and she chose Rymus as a subject on which to test her system. He steadily improved, until sanity was re-established. In the meantime Mrs. Bigelow had become a widow. She soon afterward married Rymus, and he became a physician. That was twenty years ago. Dr. Rymus made insanity a speciality in his practice, and had charge successively of many asylums. He adhered to the theory of mild treatment which had proved efficacious in his own case, and for the purpose of putting it into thorough practice, he leased, a short time ago, the Grand View Hotel, near Denver, Colerado, turning it into an asylum. In order to train his keepers by degrees, he at first only admitted three patients, and these were supposed to be only slightly deranged. But he was mistaken in one of these, and one morning found himself attacked by a furious madman, who choked him insensible, and would have killed him if his wife had not fought heroically for him. During the commotion caused by the struggle, the two other patients escaped, and one of them drowned himself.

This bad beginning of the enterprise drove Dr. Rymus insane again, and while out of his mind he slew his wife.

A Cruel General.

A correspondent of the *Kolnische Zeitung* sends from Salonica a report of the victory of Dervisch Pasha over the Albanians at the battle of Ueskub, which shows that this clever but unprincipled politician and soldier will not lose his reputation for cruelty. The Albanians stood bravely for four hours against the fearful rain of the Turkish cannon. Their loss was five hundred "dead and wounded," while the loss of the Turks was eighty men, thirty-nine of them wounded, according to the report. But it is evident that all the Albanian wounded were deliberately butchered upon the field of battle, for among the wounded brought into Ueskub after the battle there was not one single Albanian. The correspondent declares that the same fate was mercilessly dealt out to the few prisoners whom Dervisch Pasha took during the flight of the defeated Albanians. Three villages were totally destroyed.

Unexpected reply: A Danbury bootblack was in South Norwalk when the train went through there on its way to Hartford with the nation's military dignitaries. "Did you see General Sherman?" asked a citizen this morning while having a shine. "No; was he looking for me?" was the response. The citizen was shocked.

Bull Run Russell on the Chinese.

From the San Francisco Chronicle.

I suppose the Chinese are an evil, but from what I have heard of them their virtues are more to be feared than their vices. It simply, I suppose, amounts to this—that the white laborer cannot compete with them, and hence their danger to the community. I suppose they are rapidly extending their influence and controlling certain branches of trade.

The reporter told of their encrouchments and narrated the fact that a Chinese steamer, manned by Chinese deck-hands, had twice come to seek business in our waters.

A Great Enterprise.

The Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company is one of Rochester's greatest business enterprises. Their Hop Bitters have reached a sale beyond all precedent, having from their intransic value found their way into almost every household in the land.—*Graphic.*

The Chinese Government has established a school of telegraphy at Hartlord, Con., where Gorham B. Hubbell will instruct forty young Celestials in the construction of operation of lines.

—If you have no PERUNA pamphlet get one immediately. Address S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Osborn, O.,

JOHN CUMMINGS, of Licking Co., Ohio, was on Thursday fined $25 and costs for having punished his child by "putting a split stick, with a tack in it, on its tongue."

—Write to Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets relative to the curative properties of her Vegetable Compound in all female complaints.

To make silk which has been wrinkled appear exactly like new, sponge it on the surface with a weak solution of gum arabic or white glue and iron on the wrong side.

—The development of acrid elements in the stomach which are carried by the absorbents into the blood and come into cantact with the sensitive covering of the muscles and joints is assigned as the cause of rheumatic pains. Dr. Bosanko's Rheumatic Cure is an alkaline ointment neutralizing the acidity of the blood and relieving the sufferer from all pains upon the first application.

A matter of History: The farmers of Illinois are very much excited about the depredations of the Hessian fly and want to know something of its origin. If we mistake not it was General Washington who first made the Hessian fly in this country.

—Quit buying humbug medicines. If you are not well, take PERUNA. If costive, MANALIN.

—When you meet with an accident get a sprained ankle or are otherwise injured don't go to the expense of sending for a doctor, but apply some of Kendall's Spavin Cure and you will experience relief at once. Read their advertisement in another column.

—EMPLOYMENT FOR LADIES.—The Queen City Suspender Company, of Cincinnati, are now manufacturing and introducing their new Stocking Supporters for Ladies and Children, and their unequaled Skirt Suspenders for Ladies. None should be without them; our leading physicians recommend them, and are loud in their praise. These goods are manufactured by ladies who have made the wants of ladies and children a study, and they ask us to refer them to some reliable and energetic lady to introduce them in this county, and we certainly think that an earnest solicitation in every household would meet with a ready response, and that a determined woman could make a handsome salary and have the exclusive agency for this county. We advise some lady who is in need of employment to send to the Company her name and address, and mention this paper. Address Queen City Suspender Company, Nos. 147 & 149 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. 21-7t

—Have you seen the new style Wooden Curb for Chain Pumps? and by the way are you aware that the chain pumps are being daily substituted for the other pumps in use. Wilson, McFarlane & Co. are making a specialty of these pumps. If you want pure, cold water don't fail to get a Chain Pump.

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms of moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, as if pin worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected; if allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "Dr Swayne's All-Healing Ointment" is a pleasant sure cure. Also the Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barbers' Itch, Blotches, all Scaly, Crusty, Cutaneous Eruptions. Price 50 cents, 3 boxes for $1.25. Sent by mail to any address on receipt of price in currency, or three cent postage stamp. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, 330 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., to whom letters should be addressed. Sold by all prominent druggists. 12-7-1y

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Unwelcome Passengers.

The wife of a prominent resident of Helena, Montana, who has just arrived in Chicago, had a remarkable experience on her voyage down the Missouri river. Upon the steamboat with her were some forty other passengers. They had all boarded the boat at Fort Benton, the head of navigation, and no intimation was thrown out by the officers of the craft that any Indians were to be taken on. At Buford, at the mouth of the Yellow-stone, 1,500 Indians were awaiting transportation at Standing Rock agency, and three steamboats were for the service. Five hundred were assigned to the boat on which the Montana lady had taken passage, the remainder being divided between the other two boats. Fifteen soldiers accompanied each steamboat.

The Indians overran the cabin, raided the tables with beastly voracity, and exerted a sort of terrorism over a few pale-faces. The redskins didn't lose any time or victuals by observance of table etiquette when the gong sounded. If a white man, by sheer alertness or agility, beat an Indian to the table, the Sioux would turn the joke on him by driving him out of the seat, which was generally vacated without resistance. The ladies enjoyed no privacy at all. The Indians would bolt straight into anybody's stateroom, the soldiers, exhausted by long sentinal duty at Buford, lounged sleepily upon the hurricane deck, while the Sioux made free to pick up their muskets and play with them.

When the fleet arrived at Old Fort Berthold there was a prospect of a free fight and a massacre for a little while. At that landing there are several thousand Gros Ventres. For half a century they have cherished a hope of being able some time to wipe each other out of existence. As soon as the Gros Ventres recognized their old enemy they raised a fiendish yell and made a formidable demonstration against the boats. The Sioux were also wild with excitement and several of the chiefs seized muskets belonging to the soldiery and rushed on shore, calling excitedly to their people to rally and clean out the foe. The soldiers succeeded in driving the chiefs back to the boats and the fleet steamed out under an uproar of fiendish yells. On some of the boats the Indians held a war dance to the terror of the passengers.

A Canal-Boat City.

It will perhaps be news to many readers to learn that there is near by a new city—one which is migratory and goes and comes with the swallows. Every winter, when Old King Boreas pays his chilling visits, the novel city forms. All the canal-boats which ply upon the Hudson and intermediate waters during the spring and summer months lay up for the winter in the Erie Basin. Not less than 1,200 canal-boats compose this community, and on these wooden hulks 4,000 people live throughout the season. All the necessaries of life they have among themselves. The massive hulks are transformed into business marts. Grocery shops and liquor saloons—and, tell it not in Gath, even barbers' shops—rise up where coal and lumber find a home during the season of transportation. These people live wholly among themselves. They are transformed for the time being into a mercantile community. This cabin is brought into use as a billiard and pool room, while in another a tailor shop prevails. Then in the hold of another there is a miniature coal and woodyard, while several of the boats bear signs proclaiming that washing and ironing are done. A pretentious cigar and tobacco shop is a feature of the city also, and brings in a handsome revenue to its owner. By the means enumerated the inhabitants of this nomadic community are enabled to reap a considerable income. Many of the able-bodied men work along the shore when the weather permits. Not a single case of outlawry, assault or larceny has ever occurred. Whatever little disputes happen are settled among themselves. It might readily be thought that drunkenness would prevail, but this is not the case. The men, as a class, are sober and industrious. Their wives and families live with them through all seasons of the year, and know naught of the pleasure or wickedness of city life. In the spring, summer and autumn months the men earn a comfortable living pursuing their occupation as boatmen. This business is, all things considered, lucrative. They have no rent to pay, it costs them but little for clothing for themselves and families, and they are accordingly enabled to save money. Some of the boatmen enjoy a lucrative practice by letting out small boats during the winter months to fishing parties.—*New York Star.*

Old Col. McSpilkins recently made himself disgustingly unpopular with a fashionable Galveston lady who gets up church fairs and the like. He was invited to dinner, and there was a large company present. As soon as the soup was passed to old Col. McSpilkins he said to the lady of the house:

"This is splendid oyster soup."

"But, Colonel, there are no oysters in it."

"That's what made me think it was oyster soup. I have had a great deal of experience with oyster soup at church fairs."

The lady got red in the face, and after the confusion had subsided she said:

"This is mock soup."

"So was the other, ma'am; so was the other."—*Galveston News.*

Expelled Delusions.

That milk is a compound of water, chalk and sheep's stomach. Milk always comes from the cow—a great way from the cow.

That brass band music is unpleasant to the ear. We know of a man who lived for years next door to a band-room and has never uttered one complaint in all that time. He is a deaf mute.

That railroads are intended for the benefit of corporations. They are intended for the benefit of the people—the people who hold the majority of stock.

That a small boy hates an overcoat. He loves it so well that he dislikes to wear it out.

That whistling is disagreeable. It is always agreeable—to the whistler.

That druggists are extortionate in their prices. They pay such high salaries to their clerks that they are forced to sell their goods at one thousand per cent. above cost in order to make any money for themselves.

That the market is overburdened with spring poetry. The waste basket captures so much of it that but very little of it comes on the market.

That any fool can write poetry. It is only a fool here and there who can do it.

That women go to church to see other women's bonnets. They merely go to show their own.

That a boy thinks he knows more than his father. He only prides himself on his superior intelligence.

That a widow wears weeds to catch a husband. She would rather catch a man who is not a husband.

That a silver watch will tell the time just as well as a gold one. A gold watch will tell the time ten times to a silver watch's once, and be just as fresh as ever.

That shopkeepers never mark their goods below cost. They frequently mark them down much below what the goods cost the purchaser, especially if he be a particular friend, you know.

That the self-conceited man thinks everybody is a fool. He does not include one person in the category, namely, himself.

That people hate to be laugned at. Look at the low comedian, for instance.—*Boston Transcript.*

Making Things Over.

"Maria," said Mr. Jones upon one of his worrying days, "it seems to me you might be more economical; now there's my old clothes, why can't you make them over for the children instead of giving them away?"

"Because they're worn out when you're done with them," answered Mrs. Jones. "It's no use making over things for children that won't hold together; you couldn't do it yourself, as smart as you are."

"Well," grumbled Jones, "I would not have closets full of things mildewing for want of wear if I was a woman, that's all. A penny saved is a penny earned."

That was in April. One warm day in May Mr. Jones went prancing through the closets looking for something he couldn't find and turning things generally inside out.

"Maria!" he screamed, "where is my gray alpaca duster?"

"Made it over for Johnny."

"Ahem! Well, where's the brown linen one I bought last summer?"

"Clothes bag!" mumbled Mrs. Jones, who seems to have a difficulty in her speech at that moment. "Just made it into a nice one!"

"Where are my lavender pants?" yelled Jones

"Cut them over for Willie."

"Heavens!" groaned her husband then in a voice of thunder, "Where have my blue suspenders got to?"

"Hung the baby-jumper with them."

"Maria!" asked the astonished man in a subdued voice, "would you mind telling me what you have done with my silk hat; you haven't made that over for the baby, have you?"

"Oh, no, my dear," answered the wife cheerfully, "I have used that for a hanging basket. It is full of plants and looks lovely." Mr. Jones never mentions the word economy or suggests making over—he has had enough of it.—*Detroit Press.*

A Case of Modesty.

The other night a policeman observed a man hanging around the entrance of a Michigan avenue hall in a queer way and he asked him if he belonged to the Order in session up stairs. The man replied that he did, and the officer inquired: "Then why don't you go up?" "Well, I was thinking of it." "Haven't been expelled, have you?" "Oh, no." "And you haven't lost your interest?" "I might as well tell you," said the man after beating around a while longer. "I went down to Toledo a few days ago, and somehow the story came back here that I was drowned. My Lodge thereupon passed resolutions to the effect that I was honest, upright and liberal, and a shining ornament, and what was its loss was my gain. I wasn't drowned as you see, but I kind o' hate to walk in on 'em and bust those resolutions. I have tried it three times, but I cannot get higher than the fifth stair before I weaken."—*Detroit Free Press.*

When turnips placed in the cellar begin to sprout they are usually thrown away, but a bushel of turnips will furnish a family with salad all winter, and a very good one it properly prepared. Place the bushel of turnips in a dark, warm cellar to sprout, and when the sprouts are three or four inches long cut them off, pick the leaves from the stems and pour on hot water a moment; then plunge them into cold water; place the sprouts in the colander to drain off all the water, and send to the table with a plain dressing or bacon dressing poured over them.

Mollie's Ram.

Mollie had a little ram, fleece as black as a rubber shoe, and every where that Mollie went he emigrated to.

He went with her to church one day—the folks hi-la-rious grew to see him walk demurely into Deacon Allen's pew.

The worthy deacon quickly let his angry passions rise, and gave it an unchristian kick between the sad brown eyes.

This landed rammy in the aisle; the deacon followed fast, and raised his foot again, alas! that first kick was the last.

For Mr. Sheep walked slowly back, about a rod, 'tis said; ere the deacon could retreat, it stood him on his head.

The congregation then arose and went for that 'ere sheep, but several well-directed butts just piled them in a heap.

Then rushed they straightway for the door with curses long and loud, while rammy struck the hindmost man and shot him through the crowd.

The minister had often heard that kindness would subdue the fiercest beast—"Aha," he says "I'll try that game on you."

And so he kindly, gently called: "Come, rammy, rammy, ram; to see the folks abuse you so, I grieved and sorry am."

With kind and gentle words he came from that tall pulpit down, saying "rammy, rammy, ram; ram rammy, rammy, rammy ram—best sheepy in the town."

The ram looked meek, and on he came, with "rammy, rammy, ram; ram, rammy, rammy, ram; the nice little ram."

The ram quite dropped its humble air, and rose from off his feet, and when the parson lit he lay beneath the hindmost seat.

As he shot out the open door, and closed it with a slam, he named a California town, I think it was "Yuba Dam."

To clean black cassimeres, wash in hot suds, with a little borax in the water, rinse in very blue water and iron while damp on the wrong side.

Steak should be broiled without salt. Salt draws the juices in cooking; it is desirable to keep these if possible. Cook over a hot fire, turning frequently. Salt and pepper to taste.

Piles.

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TAYLOR TOWNSHIP FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

ROAD.

John Beckwith in account with Taylor township as supervisor for the year ending March 12, 1881:

	DR.	CR.
To amount of Duplicate	$405 61	
To unseated land money	141 47	
By work done by men		$257 35
By work done by teams & men		133 07
By work done per self		51 60
By 2 days settling and sworn into office		2 00
By exonerations		7 66
By balance due township		95 98
	$547 08	$547 08

Elijah Merryman in account with Taylor township and Supervisor for the year ending March 12, 1881:

To amount on duplicate	$276 30	
To unseated land money	177 24	
To order on twp for balance	16 41	
By bal. due at last settlement		$ 40 02
By work done on old duplic'e		38 15
By work done by men		266 34
By cash paid shovelling snow		36 14
By work per self 65 days		65 00
By notifying men to work		12 00
By exonerations		5 50
By one day settling and trip to Bellefonte for 1879		4 70
By one day settling for 1880		2 00
	$469 95	$469 95

POOR.

Hiram Blowers in account with Taylor township as Overseer of Poor for the year ending March 12, 1881:

	DR.	CR.
To amount on duplicate	$344 48	
To unseated land money	125 00	
To bal. due on old settlement	96 36	
By orders from 1 to 32 inclus'e		$366 96
By services, goods, and trip to Bellefonte		40 66
By exonerations		4 23
By expenses of Rachel Eve Beckwith		49 40
By Wm. Newman order		21 18
By 2 days settling and sworn into office		2 00
By percentage for col. dup		17 11
By balance due township		64 30
	$565 84	$565 84

JOHN T. FOWLER,
THOS. MERRYMAN, } Auditors
HIRAM BLOWERS.
D. G. GANOE, Twp Clk. 26-2434

SCHOOL.

John Beckwith in account with Taylor township as collector of School Tax, for the year ending June 7, 1881:

	DR.	CR.
To amount of duplicate	$987 11	
By amount paid Sam'l Hoover		$445 38
By amt. paid Wm. Miller		319 75
By exonerations		17 37
By amt. due township		204 61
	$987 11	$987 11

William Miller in account with Taylor township as collector and treasurer of school tax and building tax for the year ending June 7, 1881:

	DR.	CR.
To amount of duplicate	$561 84	
To unseated land money	512 04	
To State appropriation	136 16	
To money paid by J. Beckwith	319 75	
By orders from No. 294 to 315 inclusive for teachers' salaries, fuel, building, repairs, &c.		$ 1339 84
By exonerations		13 64
By percentage for collector $547 20 at 5 per cent		27 36
By percentage as treasurer for paying $1,335.84 at 2 per cent		26 71
By one day settling		1 00
By am't due twp		120 24
	$1529 79	$1529 79

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S. R. P'a SOLT, Sec'y. 26-24-3t

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CATHARINE MILLER,
WILLIAM H. MILLER,
Administrators.

Bellefonte, Centre Co., Pa. 22 6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of JONATHAN WALKER, deceased, late of Boggs township, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

WILLIAM RESIDES,
Administrator.

Milesburg, May 20 1881. 21*6t

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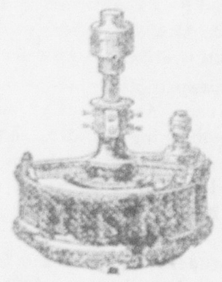

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Local Department.

—"In accordance with the time-honored custom," all hands connected with this office will lay down their tools and celebrate the Fourth, in consequence of which the REPUBLICAN will not be issued next week.

—After all, the outlook for considerable racket in town on the Fourth is favorable.

—Nine more cars were shipped west from the car works on Saturday. This makes about forty cars thus far turned out.

—Read what Theodore Deschner has to say in our advertising columns. It's appropriate reading just at this time.

—Another comet was discovered last evening by a North ward resident. We believe it was a banana peel he slipped on.

—The editor of this paper is indebted to Lewis Hess Esq., of Philipsburg, for kindness shown while on a visit to that place lately.

—The fool-killer should visit Lebanon. A petition is being circulated in that city for the removal of all shade trees along the streets.

—As was apprehended, this section was visited by a slight frost on Thursday night. The atmosphere was quite chilly, and overcoats felt comfortable.

—Highway robbery is practiced in Lock Haven. At an early hour on Thursday morning last Mr. John M. Dauer, of that place, was knocked down and robbed of his watch and a sum of money while on his way home.

—The general desire of the farmer for more "wetness" was realized Monday. The successive showers softened up the crusty surface of the earth, and gave the much-needed nourishment to the roots of vegetation.

—A Walker township farmer says that potato bugs, grasshoppers and candidates are the curse of that locality. According to his figuring there are three voters only in the township who are not candidates. Walker will please come up front.

—Here it is the last of June and not a single snake story yet. John Wagner or Whippo never had a better opportunity in their lives to startle the community with a four-story whopper than now. Hit 'er up, gentlemen, and put yourselves on record for the season.

—Mr. Alfred Nicholls, who left here in May on a visit to his home in England, arrived in New York Monday morning, on his return trip, on the steamship City of Berlin, having made the passage in nine days from Liverpool, pretty quick time. Mr. N. will probably reach Bellefonte to-day.

—According to the following item, from an exchange, Gen. Beaver proposes to frolic with the American eagle at Greensburg on the Fourth: Laird, of the Greensburg *Argus*, and his company of bold "soger" boys, will celebrate the Fourth of July with a picnic, at which General Beaver is to orate.

—Gov. Hoyt's veto of the apportionment bill also vetoes the banquet which the Bellefonte bar proposed tendering to Judge Mayer. Possibly it is a fortunate occurrence for the Judge, as the stuffing his lawyer friends had in store for him might have unfitted him for further use on the bench.

—An interesting letter from our African correspondent appears in this issue. From his long silence we had about come to the conclusion that our distant friend had been slaughtered and eaten to appease the appetite of some dusky savage in that heathen land, but are pleased to learn that our fears are groundless.

—Our celestial visitor, the comet, which recently made its appearance in the north-eastern sky, is an object of much interest to Bellefonters, and furnishes a subject for no little speculation among our local scientists. The comet could be distinctly seen on Sunday night as early as 8 o'clock, and street promenaders were afforded an excellent opportunity for taking half-hour observations.

—A coal oil lamp, we are informed, exploded in one of the apartments in the second story of the Conrad House occupied by Mrs. Dolan, on Sunday evening. The stairway leading to the room above caught fire from the burning oil, but by prompt action on the part of the inmates the flames were extinguished before any serious damage had been done. Probably a little more care in the handling of lamps would have prevented both this and the Bishop street catastrophe.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH!

Bellefonte to Tussle with the American Eagle on Independence Day.

Happily Bellefonte will not be behind on the Fourth in the matter of a proper observance of the sacred traditions of Independence day. Although nothing has been done by the general community to bring about this result—and we sometimes believe that, if such matters were left in the hands of the average Bellefonter, Independence day would come and go a thousand times without the explosion of even a single squib to distinguish it from the dull monotony of an average Sabbatic day—yet the matter has been agitated and finally brought to a focus by the members of that excellent and efficient organization known as the Undine Fire Company. For some time it has been quietly hinted that they were soon to take some action in regard to the matter, and we now have the pleasure of publicly announcing that it is their intention to give a grand public picnic on the Foruth of July next, and that the committees to make all preliminary arrangements have been appointed and are now hard at work. No companies from a distance, we believe, are to be invited, and it is their intention to make a purely home affair of it. The Logan Hose Company and Company B (Bellefonte Fencibles) have been invited, however, and it is expected they will take part in the festivities.

A parade will take place sometime in the forenoon, participated in by the above organizations and several bands of music, and after marching through the principal streets of town will repair to the picnic grounds in Valentines' grove, near the toll gate. Dinner will here be provided, and a large dancing platform erected for the occasion, where all admirers of Terpsichora can "trip the light fantastic toe" to their hearts' content. The very best music will be provided for the occasion, and the committee having this feature in charge—Messrs. Cameron Burnside, Robert Miller and Edward Powers—is sparing no pains to make it a complete success. Various kinds of amusement will be provided, among which we might mention the ever popular, mirth-provoking tub-race and an exhilarant "cake-walk." No admission fee will charged to the grounds, but in order to defray expenses twenty-five cents will be charged for dinner and the sum of ten cents for dancing. The company seems to have the right men at the head of the movement, and they all seem to be working faithfully for its success. This is the first picnic ever given by them since their organization, covering a period of more than ten years and we hope our citizens will respond liberally to any demands made upon them for aid. Their services to the public in the past should not go unrecognized, and we only hope its success may meet the wishes of the most hopeful.

Sunday Night's Blaze.

What might have been a disastrous fire, but for its timely discovery, occurred on Bishop street on Sunday night, about the hour of midnight. Mrs. Aikens, who lives with her husband on the corner of Bishop and Allegheny streets, detected smoke coming in the open window of their room, and promptly awakened Mr. Aikens, who, satisfied that there was fire in the neighborhood, drew on his clothes and left the house to investigate the matter. The location of the fire was soon revealed to him, as in passing behind a two-story house adjoining Brown's new building he discovered a stream of smoke issuing from a crack near one of the windows. The second story of the building, where the fire was confined, was occupied by Mr. Peter Devine and his daughter, Mrs. Howard, a widow lady. In the lower story is Spitzer's beer bottling establishment. Mr. Aikens promptly gave the alarm of fire, and in a very few moments the Undine Fire Company, whose quarters are just across the street from the scene of the fire, were on hand and ready for battle. The Logans arrived a few minutes later and took up their position at the rear of the building. The fire was located in the second story, between the walls, and was difficult to reach; but the active work of the firemen soon brought the flames to light, and a deluge of water quickly extinguished them. A part of the flooring in the second story and the wall on one side of the room were considerably burned, but we did not learn the amount of the damage. It is quite likely that had the fire not been discovered before it gained much headway, it would have resulted in the destruction of several houses in that vicinity, and the inmates of the building, being old people, might have been suffocated or burned to death. The fire is thought to have originated from a coal oil lamp which exploded in the room.

PHILIPSBURG.

The Building "Boom"—Personal Intelligence, Etc., Etc.

PHILIPSBURG, June 27.

MR. EDITOR.—Your correspondent is stopping for a few days in the lively town of Philipsburg, and with that prince of landlords, Robert Lloyd, proprietor of the Lloyd House. To use a common expression in the "slang" parlance of the times, we find everything "booming"—everyone is busy, the town full of business, and houses as scarce as they can be. There are at least seventy-five houses in progress of building, and although unfinished, are let. Some of them were let even before the first load of soil was removed for the cellar, and yet the demand is not supplied, and it is said that even a hundred more would still leave many families houseless. Families who would like to live in town are forced out into the township, while more have their furniture stored waiting to secure the first chance that offers to raise their family alter under a roof they can call their own.

Among old Bellefonters we notice here are Harry and James Williams, J. H. Crissman, Hiram Hoffer, who has bought a property and is running a very successful tobacco bussness, Mr. Leaman, one of the firm of G. Lyon & Co., who have a large store full of all kinds of goods to supply the needful wants of man, and many others drawn into this vortex of activity in pursuit of business and gain.

We have made many acquaintances during our short stay, whom we should like to make kindly mention of would space permit, but for fear that if we say too much you will not allow us to be heard at all, we will only speak of a few, leaving others for future letters, if through your indulgence we are permitted. Mr. John Gowland, one of the leading Republicans of this section, shook us cordially by the hand last night. He has a large foundry and machine shop, and is running it night and day, and has more than he can do. He is a live Republican and first-class business man. S. K. Fleck, in the dry goods and grocery business, and father-in-law of your townsman, James Schofield—unlike James, however, in that he has been a life long Democrat, but like him in that he is a subscriber to the *Republican*, and a pleasant gentleman whom we are glad to know. C. H. DeHass, one of your former townsmen, a miller, and a good one, also gave us a shake of his "flipper." I had almost forgotten to mention Albt. Kaupt, also a former townsman of yours, who is doing a live business as a baker.

Last Saturday, June 25th, Jacob Womer, one of the extra brakemen on the Clearfield branch railroad, met with a fatal accident at Sandy Ridge. He had put on the brakes and looked out from the platform to see if the wheels turned, when his head came in contact with a water tank, killing him instantly. He was twenty-two years old. His body was taken to his home at Gardner Station.

I noticed Mr. Steele, the collector for the *Republican* on the streets last week.

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—A trio of young ladies near Roopsburg—Misses Emma Beezer, Mary Steinkeckler and Molly Haas—(excuse us, we didn't intend to mention any names), while gaily sailing on the "Rhine" at that place a few days since, had their jollification suddenly broken in upon by an accident of a startling nature. Whether the craft encountered a heavy sea or struck a rock our correspondent doesn't state, but at any rate it flopped over on one side, and one of the inmates, Miss Beezer, went overboard ker-splash. The other two managed to retain their seats, but gave their lungs plenty to do. As the stream was not deep the lady was rescued from the water with little difficulty, and beyond being thoroughly drenched (the water was very wet) was none the worse for her sudden bath. This is the second accident of this kind that has occurred near Roopsburg in a few weeks. Who'll take the next plunge?

—Our colored citizens propose to do a little celebrating themselves on the Glorious Fourth. The demonstration will be given in honor of the passage of the late school laws, and will take place in the evening. Rev. Palmer will deliver the opening address, and be followed by others with orations and other appropriate selections, interspersed with music. Refreshments will be served in the South ward school house under the auspices of the A. M. E. church. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present on this occasion. See posters for further particulars.

—The streets were quieter than usual on Saturday night, notwithstanding a good many beer kegs were emptied. At 10½ the streets were nearly deserted, something very unusual for Saturday night.

Our African Letter.

I went to Brewersville the other day. Brewersville is the largest settlement in the county (Montserrado, the original form of Mesurado), and consequently second in size to Bassa, the metropolis of Liberia. Brewersville prides itself on polling forty more votes than Monrovia, the capital; but as Monrovia only scraped together 135 votes at the presidential election, held two weeks ago, Brewersville has not much room to brag of bigness.

The first thing I saw on nearing the place was a grave yard; going on a little further I came to another. When I got in the place I met a funeral procession, and on inquiring I learned it was the third that week. Funerals, it would seem, are the principal public entertainments of the Brewersvillians. I also learned that the grave yards I saw were private luxuries, and the place had quite a collection of them, but the "big" grave yard was elsewhere. I have concluded not to emigrate to Brewersville. It reminded me somewhat of a story Williams, of the Charleston *News and Courier*, got off on Monrovia. He relates that after hearing the doleful plaints of one and another, he was surprised by meeting a man who in response to the question how he was getting along, answered briskly, "Finely, sir, finely." "Well, how finely?" asked the reporter, skeptically. "Some years I save $1200 some years as much as $1500," was the reply. "Indeed, and what may your business be?" "Undertaker," said the brisk little man, a reply which spoke volumes, to which the populous cemetery testifies.

While in the place I called upon Mrs. Bartoza, a colored lady who came out last winter with her family intending to establish a girls' school there. She is the daughter of Dr. Garnet, a Presbyterian minister in New York, a man of no small ability, and of considerable influence politically and otherwise among his people. He was offered the position of Minister to this country by General Grant during his term of office. I found Mrs. B. a very pleasant and accomplished woman, and quite enthusiastic over her prospective work.

There has been continued entertainment around Muhlenberg lately, entertainments perhaps pleasing to a Spaniard, but to one coming from a land where bull fights are unfashionable, quite reverse. A most eccentric missionary, whose name I will not mention, has charge of the "interior work" of his church, at a place a week's travel from here interiorward. Mr. Day, the missionary (Lutheran) here, in the generosity of his heart, invited this eccentricity to make Muhlenberg his home on his way to and from the coast. The last time I was down he had two oxen sent from Sierra Leone, who he proposed to break and train to carry burdens. This he was ill fitted to do, and they unfitted for, and we sometimes had amusing scenes. Bullock chasing a missionary around a big tree, for instance. But he became brutal and proposed to put an iron ring in the animals' noses, and so lead them where he found it impossible to do much with them, and worse than all, since he had not the proper instruments he proposed *burning* holes through their nostrils to insert the rings. The very proposition made my blood run cold. A blacksmith, however, came to the poor beasts' rescue, and prevented the barbarity by using proper instruments. The way those creatures were persecuted in the name of training was shameful. Had that man done the same things within reach of Mr. Bergh's clutches, he would now be languishing in jail, missionary or no missionary. Missionary boards must be easily satisfied when men of such stuff are sent to talk to the heathen of the gentle, tender-hearted Master. S. C. O.

MUHLENBERG, Liberia, May 18.

—According to the Williamsburg *Independent*, a *corpse* of local writers is to compile the new history of Blair and Huntingdon counties. It will probably be a dead production, unless it is a lively corpse at the head of the enterprise.—*McVeytown Journal*. We doubt if such a work will amount to anything. There is liable to be tomb much spirit infused into its pages, and besides will be shroud-ed in mystery.

—Several ambitious astronomers have become involved in a dispute as to who discovered the comet of Friday morning. Gentlemen, you are all a litt'e too previous, this time. We want the scientific world to distinctly understand that that comet was discovered by a Bellefonter. His name is Kyle McFarlane, MHC., PQRS., and observatory big guns had better run slow.

—Saturday's local freight from this place was composed of forty cars, said to have been the largest train of any kind that ever steamed out of Bellefonte.

Stormstown Scraps.

It seems that all the reporters for your paper from Stormstown have hung up for repairs. News is pretty scarce up here at present.

Mr. Robert Downing, of this township, lost a little child, 19 months old, on last Thursday. It fell into a spring in his house yard, and was drowned before it was discovered.

The new company that is sinking for ore in this township is meeting with success, and has put up an office, shanties, &c.

Stormstown has now what it never had before, namely, a new clothing store, a job printing press, a harness and saddler shop and a sewing machine and organ agent.

Mr. George Louer and his son William have moved back to Stormstown after one year's absence. That scores two more votes for a Republican State Treasurer this fall.

W. S. Gray & Son have received the largest stock of dry goods ever brought to this town.

A few days ago while Mr. Jas. Rumbarger was loading a crate of queensware at Port Matilda, it fell on him not seriously hurting him. Jim says "he thought President Garfield was on top of him."

Messrs. Smith & Rhoads have purchased the store of James Love & Son, at Loveville, and are doing a thriving business.

And now they say the brakemen on the Snow Shoe railroad sing, "Where, O, where is good old Daniel."

The blocking up of crossings along the B. E. V. railroad seems to be a prevalent nuisance all along the route. At Port Matilda it is an almost every day occurrence. The mail from Port to this place was detained fully three quarters of an hour not long ago.

Mr. James Thompson, of Syracuse plow fame, was through our town not long ago and disposed of his load in a very short time. James knows how to plow and how to talk, and if he would ever undertake to talk President Garfield into an appointment he would get it or else there would be a first-class funeral at the White House. Come again, James.

A short time ago, while Dr. Bates was walking through some of his timber lands, he espied a large black snake up a sapling, when he gave the tree a vigorous shake, and down comes the snake right on his head. But his dog was equal to the emergency, and soon laid out his snakeship.

Mr. Horace Elder and Daniel Cowher have purchased a new Altman & Taylor thresher and steamer. The trade mark on the machine is a starved rooster fed on the straw stack threshed by an Altman & Taylor machine.

On and after July 1st we shall have a daily mail. It is rumored that the present contractor intends to carry the mail across the mountain from the B. E. V. railroad, which is very unjust and unfair to the citizens along the route. Our Bellefonte mail (which is of importance—it's our county seat and our banking place) will always be a day late. The Postoffice Department means that it should be carried up and down the valley, besides nine-tenths of the people want it so, and besides it would add one hundred new subscribers to the REPUBLICAN.

I see in last week's REPUBLICAN, in the census report, that Stormstown is situated in Taylor township, and has 101 inhabitants. This is wrong; Stormstown is in Halfmoon township, and has 200 inhabitants by actual count. The compiler of the above is entirely wrong, and puts me in mind of an old gentleman that kept tavern in this county and also kept the stage office. When one day a traveling salesman came to his hotel and asked him at what hour the stage would start for the next village, he answered, "Seven, ten or twelve—I be d—— if I know which." So that is the way with the census compiler. He knows that there is a Taylor township and a Stormstown, and supposes there are people living in the town, but he evidently doesn't know where it is situated or how many people live in it. CORPORAL.

—The Philadelphia *Press*, of Saturday, gives our friend Furey, of the *Watchman*, who is a candidate for County Register, the following boost: "Mr. Joe W. Furey, associate editor of the Bellefonte *Watchman*, is a candidate for Register of Centre county, with very promising chances for success. The Furey family, including William, deceased, have been connected with Pennsylvania journalism and Democratic politics for half a century, and it is about time a member of it was rewarded." What the *Press* says in regard to the Fureys will be indorsed by every one acquainted with Central Pennsylvania politics. We don't see how the Democracy of the county can consistently ignore the claims of Mr. Furey in asking for this nomination.

—We noticed our portly friend, Dick Harris, promenading the avenue Saturday night beneath a Greely plug. At first sight we thought the 'Juke" of Sutherland had appeared in our midst.

OBITUARY.

Alexander G. Snowden.

We publish, by request of the sorrowing family, the following obituary notice, from the Freeport *Journal*, of the death of Major Snowden, brother of Miss Maggie Snowdon, of this place:

KILLED.—At Freeport, Tuesday, June 21st, Alexander G. Snowden, aged 31 years and 9 days.

In recording passing events we have often been called to sorrowful tasks, but never have we written with a sadder heart or more reluctant pen than when giving notice to our readers of the death of Major Snowden, as he was familiarly known and called. Boy and man we have known him for quarter of a century. Playfellow, schoolmate, neighbor and friend we have called him, and in his death we mourn for him. But yesterday we knew him full of life and vigor, with the bloom of health upon his cheek, to day the life, vigor and bloom are gone, and even the poor clay that encased his spirit is so torn and mangled with cruel wounds that we can hardly think it the same we were wont to greet in the days agone. His death is a sorrow to his camrades and friends, but how much deeper the affliction of the dear mother, sisters and brothers, who were looking for such a different homecoming. Could we say or do anything that would lighten the grevious burden for them how gladly would we; but what words even of tenderest sympathy from human lips can soften their sorrow, or comfort their sore hearts, and yet we would be false to ourselves and to every citizen in this community if we did not express what is so deeply felt in every heart, a sincere feeling of sorrow for this family, whose home circle has been so suddenly and so terribly broken. May He who doeth all things well pour the oil of consolation upon their bruised and bleeding hearts, and give them such comfort as the world cannot give.

Postponed till 1882.

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserve association, which was fixed to take place at this place during the latter part of this month, has been unavoidably postponed until 1882 for reasons which are mentioned in the accompanying communication from ex-Governor Curtin:

BELLEFONTE, PA., June 17, '81.

Charles Devine, Secretary of the Pennsylvania Reserve Association:

SIR:—Having learned from a majority of the managers of the association, as from many of the officers, that there is a general wish to postpone the reunion voted to be held in Bellefonte this year, and that being in harmony with my own wish, you will notify the members that the reunion is postponed until next spring.

Yours respectfully,

A. G. CURTIN.

President Pennsylvania Reserve Association.

Promoted.

We find the following in the McKeesport (Pa.) *Paragon*: "Capt. T. C. Crawford, of Messrs. W. D. Wood & Co.'s mill, has been appointed to the position of foreman of the Forge Department. The Captain has been in the employ of Messrs. Wood & Co. for a number of years, and as an evidence of their confidence in his qualifications and integrity they made him one of their foremen. We wish the Captain success in his new position." Mr. Crawford was formerly an employee of Linn & McCoy's iron works, and has many friends in this vicinity who will be glad to hear that his abilities have been thus recognized.

—About one o'clock on Monday morning, after the Bishop street fire had been put out and the excitement over, a belated fireman, who had probably just been routed out by his wife, was seen streaking it down Allegheny street at a lively gait, and yelling fire loud enough to be heard in Millheim. Before he reached Bishop street some one had presence of mind enough to run a cart over him and muzzle him. This action was necessary to prevent the impression getting out that a general massacre was going on in town.

—At Philipsburg, last Sunday, Mr. Patrick Welch, a converted Irish Catholic, who has been lecturing for the last ten years, spoke to a large audience in the Methodist church on the subject of "Romanism." On Monday evening he lectured to the men upon the subject of the "Confessional." To the latter lecture ladies and boys were not admitted.

The Markets.

BELLEFONTE, June 25, 1881.

Wheat, No. 1	$1 00
" " 2	90
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Rye per bushel	60
Corn, cob	45
Corn, shelled, old	50
Oats	40
Clover seed	4 50@5 25
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 60
Flour, wholesale	5 00
HAY AND STRAW.	
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$18 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	16 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@8 00
PLASTER.	
Cayuga, ground, per ton	$ 7 10
Nova Scotia ground, per ton	9 00

Provision Market.

Corrected daily by Valentines & Co.

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	10
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	12
Chickens per pound	5
Cheese per pound	20
Country hams per pound	12
Hams, sugar cured	15
Bacon	10
Lard per pound	10
Eggs per doz	12½
Potatoes per bushel, old	75
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	25
Canned tomatoes per can	12½
Lemons per doz	25@50
Dried sweet corn per pound	8